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Schwartz Out; Preston New Councilman

Vacancy Filled By Naming Of Former Member When Resignation Is Offered

Warren O. Preston stepped back into the city council Wednesday evening after an absence of a little more than two years, following his appointment to succeed Preston Schwartz, who resigned.

Mr. Schwartz, recently elected a director of the Sierra Madre Savings Bank, sat as a member of the body while his letter of



Warren O. Preston

resignation was read and his colleagues adopted a resolution attesting to his loyal service to the community and expressing regret over his retirement. Mr. Schwartz had expressed regret at ending his official association with the councilmen and warmly commending them for their unselfish service to the city.

The retiring councilman said the right of a director and stockholder in a bank designated as a depository of city funds to serve as a member of the council had been brought into question, but that he had been advised that the dual positions were not really incompatible. However, he said, he had no disposition to quibble over technicalities nor to occupy a position about which there could possibly be any question, notwithstanding his zeal to be of service to his friends and neighbors.

As a spectator, Col. H. B. Hersey paid Mr. Schwartz a glowing tribute, expressing the belief that his retirement was regretted by 99 per cent of the citizens. The term for which Mr. Schwartz was elected by a very large majority would not have expired until April, 1940.

Councilman Lester K. Layton nominated former Councilman Preston as the successor of Mr. Schwartz and John Froehlich seconded, both praising Mr. Preston for his previous service. Thomas Miller nominated Paul N. Carter who, he said, was a member of the Carter family which had large property interests here, who holds a very responsible position and is a director of the Chamber of Commerce. But there was no second to the nomination and Mr. Preston was elected without opposition. He was immediately sworn in by City Attorney Dunn and took his place at the council table.

Preston's appointment is good until the April municipal election of next year when the people will elect a short term councilman to complete the term for which Mr. Schwartz was elected. At the same time three members will be elected for four years, the terms of Mayor Reavis, Councilman Layton and Miller expiring in April.

Mr. Preston was appointed to the council on January 19, 1931, to succeed Al S. Myers who resigned as Mayor to accept the appointment as business manager. He was elected for a four year term in April, 1932, and resigned September 11, 1935, to accept an appointment as city inspector on the Metropolitan Water District pipe line while it was being laid through the city.

Prize Winning Plays Are Admirably Presented

The first of the two performances of the Wistaria Vine Gardens prize-winning one-act plays was presented last night at the woman's club under the direction of Mrs. Cecily Allen.

Tonight's performance will be the last chance to see "Lutz's Wonder" by Anne Walter, the prize-winner, and two honorable mention plays, "Just Beyond" by Robert Clark and Harold Gaze, and "Almost Mrs. Simpson's," by the director, Mrs. Allen.

The plays, in which only well rehearsed local players appear, are sponsored jointly by the Woman's Club and the Wistaria Association and the advance sale for tonight's performance indicates a full house.

City Rejects Offer Of Land For Alley

The proposition of Dr. George W. Groth, Mrs. H. Beatrice Pratt and Henry Olsen to dedicate a strip of land behind their property facing North Baldwin avenue north of East Sierra Madre Blvd. and extending to East Montecito for an alley, was rejected by the city council Wednesday night because there is only one exit to the proposed alley. The council suggested that the interested property owners confer with the city engineering department to see whether or not a mutually agreeable arrangement cannot be made. The first of a series of conferences to this end was held immediately after the council adjourned.

Horticulture Activities Center Here

Interesting And Important Events Scheduled For The Coming Week

Sierra Madre is fast becoming the center of Southern California horticultural activities, as a glance at important events scheduled here for the next week or so will prove.

The Pacific Rose Society will convene at Wistaria Vine Gardens Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock for a dinner meeting presided over by President Fred Walters. Rose exhibits arranged by the members will be on display, and many rare and beautiful types of roses are expected to be shown.

An intensive drive for members in this district is under way by the Rose Society, which visions this and nearby foothill cities as the rose center of the world. All interested in roses and rose culture are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Then the first Cascade Chrysanthemum show ever held on the West Coast opens at the Wistaria Vine Gardens Friday, November 5 at 2:30 p.m. and continues for three days. The Sierra Madre Woman's Club is in charge of the amateur division with Mrs. Hazel James Ferguson acting as general chairman. Great interest is being shown in this section by amateur growers and information may be obtained from Mrs. Ferguson at 75 North Baldwin avenue, or by telephoning 237-1. The show is being sponsored jointly by the Woman's Club and the Wistaria Association.

Largest commercial nurseries and private growers of the Southland are exhibiting specimens, and various cash prizes up to 25 dollars are being awarded in all three classes. Other prizes and ribbons are being offered for the best specimens in various color effects. There are to be additional awards in the amateur class for "Mum" table arrangements.

Among the judges in the amateur section will be C. Jacques Hahn, famous garden expert, and Mrs. Edna B. Ketchum, who now is judging in the Pasadena show.

Another interesting group meeting at the Gardens during the show are the newspaper publishers of the San Gabriel Valley Unit of the California Newspaper Publishers Association, who will visit the mum show and dine there Friday evening. Jose Arias and his strolling troubadours will furnish the music for the event and for the mum show.

Part of the exhibit of the California Horticultural Society of perfume flowers, medicinal herbs, and spices capable of being grown in this area, and now on exhibition at the Pasadena Flower show, will be brought here for the Cascade show.

A business meeting followed by luncheon will be held by the Southern California Horticultural Society on Saturday, November 6, at 1 p.m. with Dr. George P. Lux, prominent horticulturist and president of the society, presiding. A discussion of the possibility of establishing the perfume industry on a large scale in Southern California, through the growing of perfume plants and medicinal herb and spice bearing plants, will be held.

Miss Akemi Togo, often called the "Flower Ambassador," will give an instructive demonstration of the art of flower arrangement at 2:30 Saturday.

Sunday afternoon, last day of the mum show, the Chamber Music Ensemble of Pasadena will be heard in concert providing a background of exquisite beauty to the exhibition.

Voorhis To Discuss Cost Of Peace Here Sunday Evening

Jerry Voorhis, popular peace crusading congressman, is to be honored with a farewell reception and dinner at the Wistaria Vine Gardens Sunday evening, at five o'clock, when he will discuss "Government's Responsibility to War."

Congressman Voorhis has a host of friends in this district who will be interested to hear him on this subject. He leaves early in November for the Nation's Capitol. Reservations may be made by calling 276-3.

Police Warn Against Vandalism

Select Force Of 15 Men To Check Rowdiness In City's Hallowe'en Celebration

Hallowe'en pranks involving destruction of property or constituting a traffic hazard will not be tolerated in Sierra Madre Saturday night, according to Chief of Police Gordon G. McMillan.

"We do not wish to spoil any reasonable fun, but we will do all we can to prevent vandalism, and anyone apprehended in the actual destruction of property or who commits any malicious mischief will be taken into custody," warned McMillan.

Soaping cars and windows, throwing cans and rubbish into streets, building barricades or blocking streets, is strictly forbidden, he says.

The 9 o'clock curfew law will be enforced and any child under 16 found on the street after that hour unless accompanied by a parent or guardian will be taken home by police or detained at the police station until parents call for them.

All the regular members of the police force will remain on duty, and will be augmented by a deputized committee of city employees and firemen, totaling 15 men in all, who with four radio cars will patrol the city streets from 6 p.m. Saturday to 6 a.m. Sunday, said Chief McMillan.

Since Hallowe'en falls on the Sabbath this year the police department is not taking any chances as to the day celebrated and will remain on duty Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, said Chief McMillan.

Canyon Taxpayers Turn In \$1104 Of \$4000 Interest Due

City Clerk Pratt asked the council to decide whether the city shall default in its payment on bonds issued for improvement of streets and roads in Canyon Park or pay the amount received. Interest due to the bondholders amounts to approximately \$4,000. Pratt said, and canyon property owners have paid in only \$1104. Under quite similar circumstances in the past the Council has ordered the amount on hand paid. This time the matter was referred to City Attorney Dunn for an opinion.

Harvest Home Service To Be Revived

Oldest Religious Festival In The World To Be Celebrated Here On Sunday

What is probably at once the oldest and most widely celebrated religious festival of the world will appear again — in one of its phases — next Sunday evening right here in Sierra Madre. The occasion is the annual Harvest Home "Evensong" service in the Episcopal Church of the Ascension at Baldwin and Laurel avenues. The service will begin at 7:30 p.m., and besides a short talk by the rector, the Rev. Dr. William B. Heagerty, on a special theme of "Thanksgiving," will include a full choral service by a large choir with solo parts by Clarence Noshier and Jack Buchanan.

The modern, although ancient, Christian service of the Harvest Festival stems directly from the far older Jewish Feast of Tabernacles, joyously celebrated by Hebrew congregations throughout the world under the familiar name of "Succoth" — a word meaning booths or shelters made from branches. But Greeks, Romans, and Druids, all had their similar harvest festivals. All these finally developed into the service brought to America by the first colonists from England.

At the local celebration, in addition to the usual congregational singing, the augmented choir will render two main anthems of special interest: "The Radiant Morn," by Woodward, and "He Remained," by J. H. West. The church will be specially decorated. Visitors, regardless of race or creed, will be cordially welcome.

Doctor Says Accused Woman Cannot Be Brought To Trial

The trial of Mrs. Myrtle R. Bradford, 72 years old woman charged with wholesale dog poisoning in the Canyon Park district has been continued for another two months because of a certificate attesting to her physical inability to appear in court presented by her physician to Judge Fox in Pasadena Justice Court, Thursday.

Mrs. Bradford is dying from cancer, according to her physician and is not expected to live to come to trial.

Taxpayers Urged To File Claims

Overcharges In 1934-35 Tax Bills May Be Recovered By Prompt Action

Applicants for refunds of 1934-35 taxes which may be claimed under technicalities which form the basis for a proposed court action, may file their claims at Sierra Madre city hall, beginning today. Claims also may be filed at the County Auditor's office on the third floor of the Hall of Records, in Los Angeles.

The branch office is being opened by County Auditor H. A. Payne to convenience the public and in compliance with the desire of the Board of Supervisors to give all taxpayers every possible opportunity to participate in refunds in the event that the Supreme Court should rule any portion of the 1934-35 taxes refundable.

Branch claim stations are being opened in each of the county's 44 incorporated cities.

In addition, claim forms are being inserted in the annual tax bills to be mailed Monday to more than 300,000 taxpayers. Refund claims must be filed with the county within three years of the date of payment of taxes, although no action will be taken toward paying claims until the Supreme Court has made its decision on the alleged invalidity of the levy.

Claims must be filed by the person who paid the taxes, or by any successor in interest and must be signed and sworn to before a notary public or deputy county clerk. Claim blanks may be mailed or filed personally.

The tax refund procedure is almost identical with that applying to the 1933-34 taxes when thousands of taxpayers filed demands for refund following a test suit by the Southern Service Corporation attacking the validity of the 1933-34 tax levy.

In a bulletin being broadcast by the Los Angeles Bureau of Municipal Research the refund situation is explained as follows: "We understand that the major banks of the county and many other large taxpayers are quietly preparing refund claims for 1934-35 and 1935-36 levies. Only those who file claims within 3 years of payment will be entitled to refund."

"Last year some 250,000 Los Angeles County taxpayers filed claims for the refund of 1933-34 tax levies in excess of levy authority. Judge Bowron found that the levy was illegal to the extent of \$9,176, because the local Tax Levy Board had allowed excessive margins of safety, created debt service reserves beyond the fiscal year, and took advantage of all fractions. . . .

"Dig up your 1934 tax bills and ask the County for claim instructions, as you did last year. Pass the word along."

Larsen Can't Chase Bad Luck Away

Magician Injured When Furnace Explodes—Firemen Visit His Home Twice

He may be able to pull rabbits out of a high hat, turn a glass of water into a rock and do other tricks that magicians specialize in, but William W. Larson, 627 East Orange Grove avenue, who makes "magic" his hobby, had better start sprinkling incantation powders about his residence, for old man ill-luck swooped down upon it twice this week, resulting in two calls for the fire department.

Early Tuesday morning the heavy furnace in the basement of his home exploded when he opened the door to investigate its failure to heat up, knocking him flat and severely burning his right arm, left wrist and ankle. The force of the explosion completely demolished the furnace, ripped out a register in the hall and tore down all the heating pipes, with an estimated damage of several hundred dollars, covered by insurance. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

The earlier call, Monday a week ago, came when bedding and trunks stored in an anteroom of the two story garage ignited, probably due to a carelessly flung cigarette or match, according to fire officials.

Fix Compensation Of City Attorney

Sierra Madre's new city attorney will receive a salary of \$100 a month for attending council meetings and performing the routine duties of his office, \$75 a day in addition for each day he represents the city in court and \$50 for preparing briefs, pleadings and other preparatory work, under the provisions of an ordinance adopted by the Council Wednesday evening.

Hallowe'en Parade And Show At The School Tonight

All roads lead to the School Auditorium tonight where a giant Hallowe'en show will start promptly at 7 o'clock, under direction of Pat West, who is cooperating with the Sierra Madre Recreation Department to produce a bang-up affair.

A costume parade of witches and pirates and cats and things will be held with the audience acting as judges, following which is a big vaudeville show with many thrilling acts. A Federal music project orchestra will be on hand to play tricky tunes—so walk, don't run to the nearest entrance!

City Zoning Law May Be A Gift

County Asked To Conduct Survey Estimated To Cost Between \$2,000 And \$3,000

Groundwork for Sierra Madre's proposed new zoning ordinance will be laid by the Los Angeles County Regional Planning Commission, with a probable saving to the city of from \$2,000 to \$3,000 in engineering fees.

A resolution requesting the County Supervisors to have the regional planners undertake the necessary survey was adopted by the city council Wednesday night following a conference between City Business Manager Al S. Myers and officials of the Planning Commission at which Mr. Myers asked for their co-operation. The city had previously conferred with several zoning experts and engineers who estimated the job would cost between \$2,000 and \$3,000.

If the supervisors order the work done it will probably be carried on under the direction of William J. Fox, chief engineer of the commission, by Kenneth Sampson, and the zoning staff. Mr. Sampson has just been appointed zoning engineer to succeed Werner Ruchti, who last week accepted a position with an engineering firm in San Francisco. Mr. Sampson has been connected with the Regional Planning Commission since 1928. He is a member of the American Society of Planning Officials and of the American City Planning Institute.

The Supervisors are expected to act on the city council's request at their meeting on Monday. If the action is favorable, as is anticipated, the survey will get under way immediately, in connection with the Sierra Madre City Planning Commission and hurried to completion so that a zoning ordinance may be submitted to the citizens and adopted before property values and the city's beauty is impaired through recent discovery that the municipality is actually without any zoning law or authority whatever.

Don't Pay For Help In Preparing Claims For Tax Refunds

Don't pay money to a firm or individual for preparing a claim for tax refund!

That is the warning issued by the county auditor, who is sending accredited employees of the office to various cities in the county to aid in the preparation of tax claims at no cost to the taxpayer.

C. C. Knapp, deputy county clerk, will be in the Council Chamber of the City Hall each day from 9 to 4 to take claims for any taxpayer who wishes to present one. Take your tax receipt along.

City Has Booth At Blg Flower Show

Sierra Madre will have a booth at the big Pasadena Flower Show that opens today and concludes Sunday at Carmelita Gardens which gives promise of being the greatest horticultural exhibition ever held in Southern California. Announcing the first Cascade Chrysanthemum Show ever held in California, to be opened at Wistaria Vine Gardens next Friday, the booth will be lavishly decorated with beautiful cascade mums and folders will be handed out to the expected thousands calling attention to the beauties and attractions of Sierra Madre.

P.T.A.'s Membership Drive Opens Monday

The Parent-Teachers' Association of Sierra Madre is launching its annual membership drive the week of November 1st. In keeping with the usual policy, the school room bringing in the highest number of memberships will be awarded a prize. The fee is fifty cents and all friends of this worthy organization are urged to become members whether or not they have children in school.

VERY EXISTENCE OF THIS AND NEARBY CITIES PERILED

Pasadena's Astounding Water Suit Threatens Welfare And Growth Of A Dozen San Gabriel Valley Municipalities By Effort To Curtail Their Water Consumption By One-Third While Asserting Its Prior Rights To Major Supply From Underground Basin

(Editor's Note—This is the first of a series of articles by City Business Manager Al S. Myers on the alarming water situation in the San Gabriel Valley brought about by a suit instituted against Sierra Madre and neighboring communities by the City of Pasadena. The next installment that will interest every citizen of the affected area, will appear next week.)

By AL S. MYERS
CITY BUSINESS MANAGER

A MOST astounding proposition is set forth in a suit instituted by the City of Pasadena against the City of Sierra Madre and eight or nine sister municipalities and various industrial interests and water companies of the San Gabriel Valley.

Not only is the growth and welfare of the municipalities named in the suit seriously threatened, but it is no exaggeration to say that their very existence is at stake. Pasadena, with waters of the San Gabriel canyon and from the Colorado river supplementing its underground

City Joins League To Fight Suit

Council Votes Membership In Water Union To Combat Crown City's Claims

Against the lone protest of Councilman Lester K. Layton that more study should be given the matter so that the city does not find itself hopelessly enmeshed in financial obligations and tangled up with and outvoted by other municipalities whose water problems are unlike those of this city, the council Wednesday evening voted Sierra Madre into the Water Users Association of the San Gabriel Valley.

The organization has been formed to fight Pasadena's suit to curtail by one third the water supply of Sierra Madre and a dozen nearby municipalities and many water and other corporations. Each member is entitled to a vote for each ten million cubic feet of water consumed. It proposes to assemble facts and engineering figures to be used in combating the Pasadena suit, it being held that a union of the affected interests will spread out the cost that would be burdensome on individual cities and business interests.

"This thing comes to us as a new proposition and an involved one," said Mr. Layton, "and while it is probably all right, we should have time to study and inquire into it before we vote ourselves into possible trouble and expense. Our water problem is different than that of any other defendant city in the Pasadena suit. The nearest approach to our situation is Altadena, which is in much the same position as we are. We may be dragged along as a hopeless minority in a cause that is not to our interest since our voting strength would be almost negligible in comparison with the other cities involved. Other cities may be disposed to vote funds in amounts and for purposes which are not agreeable to us, but if we become a member of this organization we will be obliged to pay our proportionate share. I don't say that I am opposed to joining the organization, but I think we should take time to find out what it is all about before we commit the city."

Other members said the city attorney had advised a membership in the organization for Sierra Madre and they thought his advice should be accepted. Mr. Layton was outvoted four to one. It is said the association proposes to gather all possible data with a hope of finding a solution of the water problem. One proposition it is considering presenting to the courts is that Pasadena, with water from the Hoover dam and San Gabriel canyon supplementing its underground supply at home, should not be allowed to restrict other water users behind the Raymond dike until it is proved that its Hoover dam and San Gabriel canyon supplies shall be found inadequate.

Eighty percent of the communities and business interests named as defendants in Pasadena's suit are said by City Attorney Dunn either to have joined the water users association or to have signified their intention to join. City Attorneys and engineers of the cities already members are holding meetings to map a program and round up the necessary data on which to base a defense to Pasadena's suit.

St. Rita Pupils Have A Holiday Monday

St. Rita's Parish school children will have a holiday Monday, November 1 as it is All Saints Day and the new hours will not go into force until Tuesday, when the schedule for the classes will be from 9 to 12 with a 45 minute lunch period, and from 12:45 to 2:45 p.m.

supply at home, sets up an amazing claim to prior rights on a major portion of underground waters stored behind the Raymond dike, from which the cities and corporations made defendants in its suit also draw their supply. Notwithstanding the fact that one or two of the defendant municipalities including Sierra Madre are wholly dependent upon waters behind the dike Pasadena demands that their water consumption shall be reduced by one-third of the present consumption, but that its claim to not less than 14,600 acre feet per year shall not be disputed.

In addition to Sierra Madre the cities directly affected are Altadena, Arcadia, Monrovia, La Canada, South Pasadena, San Gabriel, San Marino, Flintridge, and various other cities, towns and communities whose water supply is threatened through inclusion of the water companies supplying their needs in the suit. Among these are the Sunnyslope area, Rancho Santa Anita, Michillinda and innumerable corporations that supply employment to large numbers of people. They would have to put their business on crutches if Pasadena's contention is sustained.

Officials of Pasadena have made a statement in meetings that they are willing to curtail their production or use of water on the same basis as all the defendants are willing to do. However, they are asking that, meaning all the defendants indicated, shall curtail our consumption by one-third. Now permit me to quote from the complaint as filed by the City of Pasadena as taken from page seven, lines 49 through 55.

"That the City is the owner of the prior and paramount right to take and divert, during each and every year, 14,600 acre feet of water from said underground water basin or reservoir, to supply said uses and purposes, and to pump or divert the same at a maximum rate of 50 cubic feet of water per second, as against said defendants and each of them. That said 14,600 acre feet of water is not now and has not in the past been sufficient, and will not in the future be sufficient, to supply the domestic, irrigation and municipal uses of said plaintiff, its customers and inhabitants."

Pasadena is asking the court to allocate to it, which they claim by prior right, 14,600 acre feet of water which is more water than that city has used on an average of the last five years. This means that if the replenishment is more or less than 14,600 acre feet the City of Pasadena would reserve that amount whether the outside territory (consisting of some hundreds of thousands of people of which Sierra Madre is a part) use any water at all. In a final analysis this means simply that the City of Pasadena reserves the right to use 14,600 acre feet irrespective of whether all the other users above mentioned get one drop of water.

This article is written for only one purpose—to make the citizens of the San Gabriel Valley conscious of what they are facing. Next week will appear an article in the SIERRA MADRE NEWS setting forth the writer's views in detail. Will it benefit the citizenry and business interests of Pasadena to ruin the outside territory? Is Pasadena dependent on the San Gabriel Valley or does the San Gabriel Valley depend on the city of Pasadena?

I hope that this article will make all the citizens of the San Gabriel Valley and adjacent territory conscious of the seriousness of the situation confronting them and the importance of protecting their own investment and also make them interested in the detailed article which is to follow.



Mr. Myers

MONTHLY PARTIES AIM
OF FINE ARTS GUILD

Elated over the success of the card party held Saturday night at the Little Theatre in Windsor Lane to provide funds for the heating plant of the theatre of the Fine Arts Guild, Mrs. Joseph Quittner, sponsor, has decided to make it a monthly event.

Saturday's affair cleared a fair profit which was promptly paid on the heating plant.



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Mrs. Gomes Back
From Childhood
Scenes In Tennessee

A trip characterized by true Southern hospitality and charm has just been completed by Mrs. Ray Gomes of the Roberta Shop, "Dixie" to everyone. Returning Sunday from a cross-country journey that embraced visits to the scenes of her Tennessee childhood, Mrs. Gomes looks and feels as though she had taken the best tonic in the world.

Her itinerary included Kansas City, Mo., Memphis, and Fulton, Ky., the latter place glimpsed for the first time in 20 years. Relatives galore strove graciously to make every hour something to be long remembered. A visit to famous Reelfoot Lake in Tennessee in the moonlight for a fish dinner with cousins, and evenings on the showboats of the Mississippi were only a few of her activities.

Personal close-ups of the flood-swept areas were the only unpleasant incidents. The spot once occupied by a thriving little town was visited and a couple of days in New Orleans was like a page out of Paradise. Mrs. Gomes returned via the Southern Pacific through Mexico and Del Rio, Texas.

Garden Enthusiasts
Coming Here While
In Convention

Finding the fame of the beautiful wistaria vine had preceded her, Mrs. W. J. Lawless, who has returned from the Garden Clubs, Inc. convention at Del Monte, said the vine was paid a splendid tribute, and as the next convention is to be held in Pasadena early next April, the organization has arranged to visit Wistaria Vine Gardens while the gathering is in session.

One of the interesting things about the convention Mrs. Lawless thinks, was the decision to sponsor a plant expedition to South America under the leadership of Dr. Harper Goodspeed of the University of California to search for exotic ornamentals. Dr. Goodspeed says the climate of western South America is very similar to California's and that the jungles are a treasure trove of beautiful plants unknown here.

WANT ADS

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Ten cents per line for first insertion; 7 cents per line for subsequent insertions. Count five words to the line. Two initials count as one word. The minimum charge is 25 cents. In order to avoid expense of bookkeeping and collecting it is desirable that all classified advertisements be paid in advance, unless you have ledger account with THE NEWS.

Classified Ads received after 5 p.m. Wednesday may be run under heading "Too Late to Classify."

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FURNITURE repairing, carpentering, painting and general repairs, door locks and windows. Call, The Handy Man. Phone 334-1. E. A. Platte. 39:11a

GENERAL Carpenter Work, furniture repairing, saw filing, 262 Santa Anita Court. Phone Pinkerton 1554. 48:2a

For Sale
Real Estate
BEAUTIFUL bldg. lot; close in; improved St. Several bearing fruit trees; 50x150; \$375.00. Sierra Madre Realty Co., Phone 32. -5:c

BARGAIN Lot, 88x195; fine location; good soil; street work all in and paid for. \$700. Call Neale & Russell. -5:c

RENTALS
7-ROOM House; garage; newly decorated; owner; premises 10-2. 374 W. Smdre Blvd. Wyo. 4116. -6:d

ATTRACTIVE apt. Close in; private bath. 34 No. Hermosa. Phone 253-2. -4:1fd

FOR SALE
MISCELLANEOUS
2 MONTHS Boston Puppy, male. Perfectly marked; pedigree. Reasonable. 491 W. Montecito. 6e

FRENCH Wilton rug size 11X20, gray colors, and Kimball upright piano; reasonable. Call 326 No. Adams; 254-4 6:1e

'30 FORD Roadster; new tires; Splendid running condition. Real Bargain. Norms Garage. -5:1e

'29 HUDSON Fourdoor Sedan—thoroughly overhauled. Priced Reasonable. Norms Garage. -5:1e

ARTHRITIS, Neuritis, Rheumatism. Write Box 175, Monrovia. 3:1e

ROOMS -- BOARD
ELDERLY gentleman wants room with dinner, housekeeping privileges. Call Redondo 8229. 6:1h

MOVING
GEM City Transfer Storage Co. 701 S. Myrtle, Monrovia. Ph. 409. -51,21,1,2m

PHOTOGRAPHS
CHILDREN'S PORTRAITS our specialty. Mardell MacDougall, Photographer, 310 South Myrtle Ave., Monrovia. -2:5ph

If you have a room, an apartment, a house or a garage to rent, tell the world about it through a **WANT AD IN THE NEWS**. There are many inquiries every day. They will increase steadily as winter visitors and folks connected with or interested in the racing season arrive. They are making reservations now. If they can't be accommodated in Sierra Madre they will go elsewhere. You'll be surprised at the results to be had from a **NEWS WANT AD**.

In a Social Way

NOVEL DETAILS AT SHOWER
FOR MISS ASHMORE

COMPARABLE with the cleverness of the clever in social affairs was the miscellaneous shower given by Miss Cynthia Hull of 540 W. Montecito avenue Wednesday evening honoring Miss Marjorie Ashmore of 477 N. Baldwin avenue, whose forthcoming marriage to Emmet Black of Los Angeles will be solemnized November 10.

Playing upon the word—miscellaneous—the hostess and her guests presented the honoree with gifts commencing with each letter of this word. Other games were also enjoyed. A buffet-supper dressed in the glowing hues of autumn, was enjoyed by Misses Eleanor Phillips, Marian Thayer, Frances Olds, Genelle Paschall, Moreland Kortkamp, Elizabeth Mills, Martha Tiller, Ruth Laws, Ruth Wheeling, Marianne Daily, Barbara Hollingsworth, Alice LaLone, and Sara Jane Griebenson of Sierra Madre, and Dorothy Walsworth, Kay McFarlane, Muriel Cowan, Ruth and Dorothy Briggs, Catherine Johnson, Eleanor Harper and Marian Frisbie from out-of-town along with the honoree, Mrs. W. S. Hull assisted her daughter in entertaining.

FORTY FRIENDS GREET MISS ASHMORE AT TEA
Miss Ashmore, whose marriage will be solemnized November 10, was guest of honor yesterday at a beautifully-appointed tea and miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. George B. Morridge at her home 19 W. Orange Grove avenue and three co-hostesses, Mesdames Anna Bacon, R. A. Pratt, and Constance Thayer.

About forty guests were assembled to pay homage to this popular bride-to-be, most of whom were old friends of her mother's. Miss Ashmore received innumerable gifts, wrapped most enticingly, that will prove as practical as they are ornamental, in the coming years.

The tea table, presided over by Mrs. Rice, grandmother of Miss Ashmore, and Mrs. Hortense Hill, was decorated with rainbow busters. Chrysanthemums were used artistically in the other room.

MRS. BURBANK COMPLIMENTS LEADERS OF THE D.A.R.
The aesthetic beauty of the Wistaria Vine Gardens provides the setting today for a tea with which Mrs. E. D. Burbank of 42 E. Carter avenue compliments members of her committee of the Pasadena Chapter of the D.A.R.

Among the guests are Mesdames Earle M. Penne, Harry S. Forman, W. S. Campbell, Frank E. McKeever, Frank E. Ledyard, William R. Mirans, vice-president; E. Shepherd Reynolds, and the Misses Mabel Raymond, Lovilla M. Mosher, and Ella K. Smith of Chicago, along with the hostess.

BRIDGE-FASHION SHOW AT WILSON IS A SUCCESS

Mrs. Waverly E. Pratt of Grove street is a very busy lady these days keeping up with the myriad duties connected with the social and business life of the Woodrow Wilson Jr. P.T.A. of which she is president. Achieving, with the assistance of her committee, another splendid Benefit, suitable to go down in the archives, was the bridge-fashion show.

Twelve models, arrayed in the season's most sartorial, added to the pleasure of the day. The motif of Autumn was delightfully carried out on the dessert tables and elsewhere. Mrs. Pratt's co-workers were Mrs. Ben Stiman.

Simple Device Points
Out Danger Spots In
Nearby Mountains For Forest Rangers

A few simple pieces of equipment, part of the new fire danger rating system recently installed at the Santa Anita Ranger Station will enable Major John P. Kaye, in charge of this ranger division, to tell at a glance the fire hazards connected with the 70,000 acres of Angelus forest under his supervision.

Recordings from the instruments are entered on charts in the ranger office, and the findings telephoned to the fire dispatcher's office in Pasadena where it is recorded on a large map of the district, thus keeping the entire force constantly informed of conditions in each area.

Set up in a lattice work box is a humidity thermometer with a small brass fan, and a suspended scale. Outside on a wire rack ten inches above ground laying north and south are two pieces of wood, one half inch thick and the other two inches thick, representing respectively the small underbrush and the larger growth of vegetation, where they are subjected to the same atmospheric conditions as the surrounding terrain. Each day at 11:30 a.m. the two pieces of wood are weighed, to determine the degree of humidity of the vegetation, the thermometer is read, the visibility and wind velocity noted, and the state of the weather entered on the charts, thus giving an accurate picture of the fire dangers in the forests.

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decorations, Mrs. J. Morton, prizes, Mrs. H. A. Witt, tickets, Mrs. T. E. Nailor and Mrs. Albert L. Estus, refreshments.

AUTUMN TINGE HASTENS
SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

This tinge of Autumn in the air has given a new impetus to entertaining and hostesses are feeling its quickening influence. Mrs. James P. Donelan of 334 N. Lima street was author of a pre-holiday dinner on Saturday evening that carried the theme of the season, even so far as the national bird.

VIRGINIA STIMPFELING
IS MARRIED UP NORTH

Miss Virginia Stimpfeling, daughter of Mrs. Tillie M. Stimpfeling of 290 West Laurel avenue, was married last Wednesday in the north. Mrs. Stimpfeling left to join the newlyweds on Sunday for a few days. The bride was graduated from Pasadena Junior College, and is well known among the younger set. She has resided in Sierra Madre for fourteen years.

LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY
AT TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL

A luncheon and card party sponsored by Mrs. L. Shapiro, Mrs. M. Steinbach, and Mrs. S. L. Wolff for the Ladies Auxiliary of Temple Beth Israel will be held Tuesday, November 2 at the Temple. All proceeds will be turned over to the Auxiliary charity fund.

SOCIAL NOTES

Monday afternoon was pleasantly spent at the home of Mrs. John H. Suter, 600 North Auburn avenue by members of the Social Club of the Eastern Star. After the business meeting, the group was entertained by their hostess in the flower garden where they were shown the fine collection of canaries owned by Mrs. Suter. Ice cream and cake were served amid a profusion of gold-button mums.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bush and Mrs. Ella Hazelton of Long Beach were the incentive for a pleasant dinner-party given Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rhoades of 592 Manzanita Avenue.

Mrs. R. H. Behrens of 737 West Alegria avenue hosted a delightful bridge party last Thursday afternoon at her home. The day tables were made up of Los Angeles friends. Decorations were composed of zinnias complemented by place cards from Honolulu representing scenes on the Islands.

Wending their way Sierra Madreward on Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hosford of Huntington Park, former well known citizens, with their little daughter, Margaret, as dinner guests of Chief and Mrs. G. G. McMillan of 193 North Lima street.

Complimenting her sister, Mrs. Charlotte Pettis, of Sierra Madre, Mrs. H. F. Noake of 585 Manzanita avenue presided at a daintily-set family dinner-party on Sunday. Home-grown roses formed an artistic centerpiece, around which covers were laid for guests including Miss Harriet Jarvis Marvin and the honoree. —Mildred Bolms.

Flower Show
Has A Full
ProgramEventful Day Has Been
Planned By Woman's
Society For November 5

Flowers will be the topic of conversation for the next few days in Sierra Madre with exciting plans for two shows in full swing.

The Woman's Society of the Congregational Church will hold its annual flower show all day at the church, Friday, November 5, with a crowded calendar of entertaining events.

Chief among these will be "Buddy Buys an Orchid," a clever little play under the direction of Mrs. Waverly Pratt, that will follow the 6:30 p.m. dinner and climax the day.

A bazaar and fair will feature a sale of cooked foods presided over by Mrs. Maybell Barker; a sale of gay tie-on aprons in charge of Mrs. Hortense Hill, and a white elephant table under the care of Mrs. Arthur Young, Jr.

An exhibit of rare gourds is listed with Miss Gertrude McClellan directing it, and Mrs. E. C. Copenhagen in charge of plants and exhibits, announces that much of interest is being evinced by amateur gardeners.

Mrs. B. L. Hinkley has charge of the dinner arrangements, and Mrs. E. E. Bacon heads the table decorations contest, in which the most attractively decorated table will be awarded a prize.

McGroarty To Fill
Places At West
Point And Annapolis

Congressman John Steven McGroarty announces a vacancy in the class of June, 1938, at the U.S. Military Academy (West Point), and at the U. S. Naval Academy (Annapolis).

All eligible young men residing in the Eleventh district may take a preliminary mental competitive examination on Saturday, November 6, at 9 a.m. in the Post Office Building, Glendale.

Candidates for the Naval Academy must have reached their 16th birthday on April 1st. Candidates for West Point must have reached their 17th birthday, but must not have reached their 22nd birthday.

Eligibles who desire to compete should direct a letter to Mr. McGroarty, Box 476, Tujunga.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY TO
HAVE ALL-DAY SESSION

An all-day sewing meeting of the Women's Society of the Congregational Church will be held in the Ladies Parlors of the church, Tuesday, beginning at 10 a.m. A business meeting is scheduled for 2 p.m.

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Announcement

On behalf of my son and myself I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and patrons for their generous patronage of the past 27 years.

I am retiring on the first of November and have sold my interests in the store to my son, R. R. Hartman, who has been associated with me since 1919 and who will be happy to greet our patrons and will try to give them the same splendid service of the past.

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Housewarming Will Follow Remodeling Of Local Garage

The building of the former Sierra Madre Garage recently taken over by Carl Hansen, Ford dealer, is being completely redecorated in time for the presentation of the new 1938 Fords, within the next ten days. When the new models arrive, Mr. Hansen will hold an open house celebration of his entry into business in Sierra Madre.

The salesroom is to be marked off with a ceiling division of a gray streamlined white awning with red and blue stripes, and gray floors and fixtures. Over the lubrication rack will be a yellow awning with blue and red stripes, and a red floor.

The entire building inside and out has been sprayed white, woodwork trim freshened, walls painted blue, floor repaired and painted, and the departments completely reorganized.

1937 Red Cross Poster



THE Red Cross annual roll call poster with its appeal for members is the work of Walter W. Seaton, noted New York and California artist. Seaton's portraits of radio and movie stars, his murals and posters have won him fame throughout the nation. The current poster is the second he has painted for the Red Cross, thus joining a long list of distinguished artists who since the World War years have illustrated the spirit of the Red Cross in the call for memberships. Red Cross roll call begins Armistice Day and ends Thanksgiving Day.

New Camp Fire Girls Club Has Jolly Costume Party

One of the most enjoyable parties of the Halloween period was one given on Monday afternoon by the new Camp Fire Girls' Club in the Parish House of the Church of the Ascension. A fleeting look upon this significant group, which has grown from a membership of three to 27 in a couple of weeks, was a revelation in what can be accomplished in a spiritual, character-building, neighborly, and wholesome way if the right forces are behind it.

Everyone was having a perfectly glorious time, just being jolly. Music, supplied by Kathleen Pulling and Mrs. Gladys Albright, was the accompaniment for the songs and Musical Chairs, a game which provided much merriment. Mrs. Edward Roach, a chairman and Mrs. Lee Shippey as sponsor, seeing to it that there was not a dull moment.

And the costumes—they were extremely ingenious. Betty Spinks wore a yellow Castilian dress she made at school last year and there was Marian Naley in a brilliant red satin Russian costume; Sylvia Shippey in a quaint French dress of black with a tiny bonnet of white embroidery; Elsbeth Jackson looked lovely in a colonial dress with her golden hair piled high on her head; Adair Roach wore a picturesque colonial gown with panache, fan, and tilted hat. Mary Pulling looked taller than her mother in a Spanish gown. Betty Cord was also in Spanish garb, and Ada May Hill was a French maid. Floretta Keith wore an enchanting chintz dress bespattered with gorgeous fruits. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, November 1, at 4 p.m.

YOUNGSTERS HIKE TO A MOUNTAIN PARTY

The mountains provided a loadstar over the weekend to a group of young nature-lovers headed by Mrs. Gladys Saunders and Mrs. G. K. Simmons of North Baldwin avenue at whose picturesque cabin, "The Old Trading Post," two miles up the trail, the party was held, and Messrs. George T. Peabody and Ray Gre. The youngsters entertained their chaperons with impromptu recitations and games around the open fire and no end of fun was enjoyed during the three days.

Children who enjoyed the party included Bettie Wilson Simmons, Jean McCullagh, Mary Evelyn Estes, Mary Armstrong, Patty Davidson, Patty Hill, Bud Brett, and William and Goodrich Simmons with his white pony.

Jaysee Students Debate Before Kiwanis Club

A hotly contested debate between Pasadena Junior College students was the feature of the Kiwanis luncheon meeting Tuesday, with Dick Moore, and Phil Cartwright taking the negative side against Jean Valentine and Ray Simpson, son of Dr. Raymond Simpson, arguing the affirmative on the question—"Resolved, that the National Labor Board should be empowered to settle all labor disputes."

With a brilliant display of forensics, Students Valentine and

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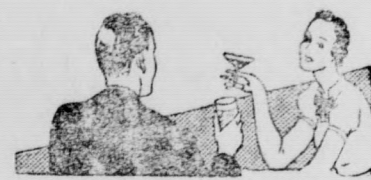
A Mission for the Spanish-speaking people of the community is being held all this week at St. Rita's Church. The time of each service is 7:45 p.m. and the masses on Sunday are at 6:30 and 8:15.

Father Isadore, a Passionist from the Monastery, will give the discussions. He has conducted similar missions in Peru, Brazil and all parts of Central America.

Simpson riddled the logic of their opponents and the poll taken at the end of the argument showed 18 to 8 in their favor.

Dr. Raymond Simpson introduced the debaters.

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FIRE FLAMES

By One of The Boys

AMONG the visitors at our meeting was a fireman from New Jersey, Harrington Westfield who is visiting "Pop" Froehlich and Fred Krinke. He sat thru the meeting without blinking even when the fireworks were flying. This proves that in New Jersey, firemen hold meetings too.

I was left out of our state firemen's convention junket, but a trip to old Mexico and Ensenada gave plenty of opportunity to sing convention songs. Traveling thru a fog in the mountains of Mexico on a narrow road squelched any notion I might have had of singing "Sweet Adeline." In fact even Uncle Bill Poet was very, very silent.

A fire call to Orange Grove on Tuesday morning found several of the boys missing. The fog must have drowned the sound of the siren, for some of the firemen did not hear it. However as usual enough appeared to take care of the situation.

The big truck is working much better since the valves have been ground with a general "tune up." The mornings are getting cool enough to have some fires in the house, so now is the time to practice some of that carelessness to prevent fires.

THIS THIEF WAS FOND OF FRIED CHICKEN

A thief evidently with an eye to toothsome fried chicken broke into the chicken pen of Mrs. Glenna Eubank, 47 West Grand View, recently, and made off with three of her fattest fryers, a plump hen, and three roosters, according to police records.

OBITUARY

MRS. ELECTA P. PRICE

Another remaining link connecting the present and early history of our country was severed when Mrs. Electa P. Price, 84 years of age, passed away early Monday morning at her home, 791 Brookside Lane, after an illness of five weeks. Mrs. Price was the granddaughter of Robert Allen, brother of Ethan Allen, the Revolutionary hero, and himself the founder of the educational system of Vermont.

Pioneering to South Dakota in the early days upon the death of her husband, Dr. E. E. Price, with two small children to care for, Mrs. Price showed herself as valiant as any ancestor, when she taught in an isolated school and farmed two sections of land. Drought conditions eventually rendered her land uninhabitable and she returned to St. Thomas, Ontario, Canada, where the greater portion of her life was spent.

She came to Sierra Madre six years ago to make her home with her son, E. E. Price, and has lived here since. Mrs. Price was active until her last illness and was vitally interested in the affairs of the day. She was a member of the Church of the Open Door at Los Angeles.

Funeral services were held in Grant's Chapel, Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. W. D. Ogg, assistant pastor of the Church of the Open Door, officiating. Burial followed at Mountain View Cemetery in Altadena.

E. E. Price, a son with whom she made her home, and Mrs. Ernest Green of Los Angeles, are the only survivors.

Sierra Madre Party Explores Wonders Of Calico Hills

With all seven counties to choose from, the desire to peep into a bit of old California was so strong on Sunday that the Russell Lovejoys with Miss Connie Branden, who was a guest of Mary Lou's, and Lorriston Noble Jr., who was Russell Jr.'s guest, together with the Hi Embrees and the Weidmans of Grove street, decided to spend the day in Odessa Canyon in the Calico Hills between Barstow and Yermo. Here they spent their time rediscovering California. Squares, specimens from the aboriginal "one shafts, and all sorts of Californians" were unearthed not to mention a long conversation with the aged owner of the Petticoat mine.

History rivaling the most graphic in the libraries was unfolded to the spellbound audience and luncheon was eaten against a background of the turquoise, violet, red, and bronze mountain sides which caused them to be named Calico Hills.

MISS KORTKAMP PLAYS AT BEHYMER RECITAL

Miss Moreland Kortkamp of 32 Park avenue has the distinction of appearing on the Behymer matinee in Los Angeles this afternoon. Other noteworthy pianists on the same program will be Harlow John Mills and William Headley. Miss Kortkamp will accompany Glenard Burris, who will sing; also play second piano for Mr. Mills.



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His delight is in the law of the Lord. And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.—Ps. 123.

It is a fatal mistake to suppose that we cannot be holy except on the condition of a situation and circumstances in life such as shall suit ourselves.—T. C. Upham.

MOVING AHEAD

AS a garden city Sierra Madre has long held an honored place not only in the annals of the state but of the nation. THE NEWS has never been bashful or backward in publicizing the fact. Nor has it ever been stinted in its acknowledgment of the fine accomplishment of those citizens through whose efforts Sierra Madre has arrived at that place of honor. To cite the names of these citizens now, or name the organizations through which they functioned, would be mere repetition. The list, in any case, would be long. For Sierra Madre from the beginning has not only been a garden city, it has been a city garden-minded—a place not only of magnificent private gardens, great and small, but of zealous, intelligent, and public-spirited garden-clubs. It was no accident—rather, in view of what has just been written, it seems to have been by a divinely planned co-incidence—that Sierra Madre should have attained an even wider fame as "The Wistaria Town."

So much for the past. The rest belongs to the present—and to that progressive present which is the future. And all signs point to it, this future belongs as never before to our great Southwest, and to no section of the Southwest so much as Sierra Madre's own—Southern California. One of the great horticultural pundits, of international standing, recently referred to Southern California as the "horticultural laboratory of the universe." His phrase was measured to fit exactly a truth established and accepted by horticulturalists everywhere. In a more popular sense, it is a conception dramatized and publicized throughout the world by the annual floral pageantry in Pasadena; a conception which we believe will be immeasurably strengthened by the present strong movement toward making Southern California—particularly our own San Gabriel Valley—one of the great, perhaps the greatest, centers of perfume-production in the world.

Here may we recall, with all due modesty, that the first suggestions for this perfume-industry came from the SIERRA MADRE NEWS?

But in the whole future of Southern California, particularly of Los Angeles County and the San Gabriel Valley, Sierra Madre holds the promise of an even more brilliant share than she has ever had in the past. Thanks to the vision, the energy, and the courage of one—and several—of our citizens, the Wistaria Town has moved into national, and even international, prominence as never before. Increasingly it has become a shrine not only of horticultural but cultural interest; not once a year but throughout the year—the favorite and fitting meeting-place for all lovers of beauty, clear thinking, and high accomplishment. As such, Sierra Madre moves ahead.

CLUBBING A CHILD

It is necessary, of course, in these times of great business rivalry and almost insurmountable tariff barriers, to enter into reciprocal trade agreements with other nations and particularly with our near neighbors such as Cuba, but the recent negotiations with Cuba that let down the bars for the importation of Cuban avocados seems like a cruel stab at the California growers who established the industry on a large scale in this country and have spent millions, as well, in educating the American public in appreciation of the fruit.

In Cuba, and other islands of the West Indies, avocados grow almost wild, while here they must be carefully nursed. In Mexico and many of the South American republics the highly prized fruit grows as it does in the West Indies. It was to protect the increasing hundreds of Americans who made big investments in avocado farming that almost prohibitive tariffs were levied

THE TRAP



PROTEST METHODS THAT MAY HALT OUR TOURIST TRADE

AUTO CLUBS of the 11 Western States have voted to wage a vigorous campaign "against the operation of State border stations affecting the entry of motor tourists or other non-commercial travel, except where special conditions warrant control measures."

"There has been developed in recent years, particularly in the Western part of the country," the resolution declared, "a tendency to establish ports of entry, border police stations and tax collection offices. This has produced many complaints from tourists of uncivil treatment, of unnecessary and annoying delays, and in some instances of unjustified extraction of fees and taxes."

The auto clubs held that the border stations are needless so far as non-commercial vehicles are concerned and should be abolished, "except in those instances where special conditions require the maintenance of such stations in order to protect agriculture or public health."

It is entirely natural that the auto clubs should do everything within their power to protect their members from unnecessary delays and inconvenience, but the clubs are to be congratulated for recognizing that agriculture and public health also are entitled to protection.

Quarantine stations, maintained by the State Department of Agriculture, have performed a splendid service in California in preventing the introduction of plant pests and diseases which have proved disastrous to agriculture in many other areas. The annual costs to growers for controlling pests and diseases introduced into California before quarantines were established are enormous—the control of citrus red scale, for example, costing more than \$1,000,000 annually.

Only a few months ago, a special committee of the State

Chamber of Commerce, after a 12-month investigation of the border station problem, made public its findings. Highlight of the committee's report was the statement that "Border quarantines are of inestimable value to the State, are being efficiently administered, and should be maintained at a high level of efficiency."

This committee recommended certain improvements at border stations to eliminate unnecessary friction and to provide adequate facilities for travelers while inspection is being performed. But it likewise warned that it would be a disastrous mistake to impair or destroy the efficiency of the border quarantine stations.

During 1936, 25,887 lots of plants or plant products infested with serious pests, or in violation of quarantine regulations, were intercepted at California border stations. But every public official and public organization should cooperate to eliminate needless delays, uncivil treatment—the most general complaint—and other abuses which arouse public antagonism to border patrol activities.

LETTERS from Readers

OPPOSED STATEHOOD FOR THE ISLANDS

Editor, The News, Sierra Madre.

Every resident of the Pacific Coast should be on his guard and do everything in his power to prevent the granting of statehood to Hawaii. He should write his Senators and Congressmen to fight it. If he knows a Senator or Representative from another state he should write to him. If he has relatives or friends in other states he should ask them to write their Senators and Representatives.

Hawaii's population consists of approximately 80 percent of Asiatics and 43 percent Japanese. Politically, an American territory, Hawaii is racially Asia's easternmost outpost. Located right at the gates of our Pacific Coast, Hawaii is the Mikado's racial outpost. Japanese born in Hawaii are American citizens under a section of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution. They are quite numerous enough to swing elections and dominate politics. As a state Hawaii would certainly have one, perhaps two Japanese Senators and likely as not a Japanese Representative. Senators and Representatives, by virtue of their office, have many opportunities to go through files and to get data on national defense plans of the most vital character, priceless to any potential enemy. Once in Japanese hands, American born though they may be, such data will quickly pass to the hands of the Japanese Embassy.

No Constitutional provision or statutory enactment on citizenship can make trustworthy Americans of a people so far alien to our ideals, culture, religion and form of government as are the Japanese. Granted for arguments sake there may be individual exceptions to the rule, we could not have the slightest guaranty that Japanese politicians chosen to represent Hawaii would be among the few trustworthy.

A Japanese governor and a Japanese-dominated legislature at Honolulu would have opportunities to interfere with the work of the Army and Navy in fortifying and defending the islands which constitute our Pacific outpost of defense.

Our own government is giving every day the most conclusive evidence that it considers the Pacific will be the scene of our next war, if we have one within another decade, or several.

It would be the most insane folly ever committed by any nation to grant Hawaii statehood. Let us all join in the battle for our security.

ARTHUR RICHARD HINTON,
Secretary, Los Angeles Anti-Asiatic Association,
East Montecito avenue.

The...
Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

IT'S human nature. And you're right—you folks that say it: Human nature does not change. Thought of this, unoriginal as it seems has been running in our mind all week. It's really been the basis of our thought for years—for half a century; longer—ever since we could look at pictures. Bible pictures first; Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, Noah's Ark. Then, later, when we could read, and fell—with interludes of "Dime Novels"—into such stuff as Homer wrote, and Plutarch, and Defoe. True. Human nature does not change.

WE went to buy a love-bird—correctly, a parakeet—to replace the one that died. Found a place where there must have been nearly a thousand of them, as well as a cloud of other birds. All of them in out-door cages, big enough for the birds to fly in, and hide in and build their nests. Not a sick bird in the lot; nor one that looked unhappy; everything clean and sweet as a field of clover. And not a soul in sight—for what seemed the longest time; until we almost felt like Goldilocks in the fairy-tale.

WELL, we've always liked fairy-tales—and mostly believed them, too, from Grimm on up to Algernon Blackwood; but our favorites have been the stories of the saints and heroes. Thousands and thousands of saints, right down through the whole recorded life of mankind, in every race, from the lowest to the highest, and all of them curiously alike, particularly in one respect; that mystical, mutual understanding that existed between themselves and the other creatures of the earth. You know, the story of the old horse that wept when St. Columba was about to die. Things like that.

THESE stories came back to us—some of them—when we finally got acquainted with the man who owned these birds. He'd bred them. He cared for them. They were frightened when he went into their cages; although he had a net in his hand, caught them in mid-flight as they fluttered about him—defiantly, swift and gentle—until he'd looked over a dozen at least. And the birds he released would linger about as if they wouldn't care if he did it again. They knew him, understood him, loved him. So did he them. Here was a Saint.

A WONDERFUL thing, really, this human nature. We mean the part of it that's truly real—the part of it that does not change; the part recorded not only in the lives of saints and heroes but in the life of the whole world round. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. So God created man in his own image—male and female created he them. Meaning not only Adam, Moses, Christ and St. Catherine, the same human nature that built the pyramids, created the books of Confucius, created that gorgeous thing known as Japanese art, abides in all the saints. That hasn't changed.

ST. PAUL may have known a lot about this human nature. In his own sick body and valiant soul there was probably focused about all the human nature there ever was or will be. Yet read what he wrote about love and faith. Just opinions. These were laws that he stated—true as anything in mathematics: "Love worketh no ill," "Faith is the substance of things hoped for..." He was expressing the eternities of human nature—not the ephemera, the passing insinuations.

HOW do we know? Like this. We see those old verities still at work—all about us—every day. Voluntarily, secretly almost, somewhat as the quiet nature-spirit builds a tree, human nature here in Sierra Madre is now building up a Park. Generally we don't record such things. Like dew and sun and dreams, this work of the friends we call the New Franciscans. But within two days this week, for example, they contributed, anonymously and unsolicited, \$45 in cash; flowers, shrubbery and loads of rock and paving material. All this, with valuable and most constant gifts of quick interest and goodwill.

TO make one think of barns, still standing, away back East somewhere, raised by neighbors long since gone to heaven; or old poems and pictures that still delight us—gifts to us really from other silent benefactors we never knew; to think also of all the old churches of the world, the libraries, hospitals, and museums. Or, for that matter, to think of our own Sierra Madre hills—shaped and planted by archangels, no doubt, whose names we don't know, either. Nature—human nature included—has always been like that. In the grand total. In the long-run.

LOVE and faith, and the beauty that is the resultant of as they've always been. All we have to do is to give them a chance to show themselves, like the things we plant in our gardens. The saints and heroes—they're with us still. And we're glad that human nature doesn't change.

Gaddin' Around
with
BILL PEET

GADDIN' AROUND

IT was big Waverly Pratt who bumped into me the other day and with a smile said, "Hey, you Peet! I understand that at one time during your newspaper career you wrote sports—why don't you give us something like that in your column once in a while. I always enjoy reading sports."

Yes I have written sports and know something about the racket, so if Waverly wants me to dish out a few sport squibs he can read the following—

Introducing to the public mud slinging wrestlers who actually do their stuff in a ring where the footing is several inches deep in real old fashioned mud.

The grapplers probably figured that they had been targets for mud slingers so long that it was time to retaliate.

Two of the "grunt and groan artists" performed in a mud footed ring at the Olympia club, Los Angeles last Wednesday night, and got so many laughs out of the crowd that nobody yelled "fake" or demanded their money back.

Professional wrestling is no longer a sport. It comes under the head of vaudeville, just an amusement, if you get what I mean.

Time was when wrestlers displayed science and real skill, but those days are gone forever and now we have butting, tripping, air-plane spins, thumb twisting and even mayhem—no hold except possibly the strangle is barred.

Present day wrestling furnishes what the cash customers evidently want, surprises and action but no science... A show, not a real contest mostly.

Sports writers from the east who are friends of mine tell me that Babe Ruth is entirely forgotten by the fans who have made Joe DiMaggio their idol, despite the fact that DiMaggio lacks the color and showmanship that placed Babe as baseball's No. 1 performer.

Ruth is just a fat man now, who goes in for golf as an exercise and baseball as an interesting diversion.

Ruth, like all ball players, great and near great, lasted as long as his legs, for when the legs go its end of the trail no matter how hard you hit the ball.

Some ten or twelve years ago I watched a twilight game of ball in Pittsburgh, just because the mighty Honus Wagner was playing with one team. Wagner drove two over the left field fence then hit a long one to center good for three bases ordinarily. The ball was hustled in and they got Wagner at second base.

"I can hit 'em as good as I ever did," remarked the Dutchman, "but the old props are gone and for that reason I can't run bases or cover any ground."

Santa Anita track, the world's most beautiful, is having its face lifted and additions built to the grand stand in preparation for the fourth annual race meeting which will start before we realize it.

I know a well known writer who has traveled all over Europe and visited every race track abroad. He tells me that nothing can touch Santa Anita for surroundings, appointments and all that goes to make a track attractive.

Sometimes I wonder whether our hometowners who commute to the big city every day get much fun out of riding the big red cars as I do. They are in a constant state of merriment if they do, for I never fail to get a kick out of a ride. Going in to the city Friday, for instance two men riding ahead of me were talking about a dog one of them owned. Apparently the owner's family has been visiting in the East for a month or so and the dog lets it be known that he is lonesome while the master of the house is away at business by howling, long and loud—to the great annoyance of the neighbors. "You ought to have some friend take care of him Jim, until the family returns," the friend returned. "Oh," replied Jim, "I don't mind him bothering the neighbors; I'm rather glad of it. You see several of our neighbors—the ones most irritated by the dog—keep chickens and their deep-throated roosters make the bright moonlight nights hideous. I almost have to take sleeping powders to get any rest. Next time they complain to me I'll offer to compromise—farm out or get rid of the dog if they will do likewise with the chickens, or at least the roosters. Fair enough, isn't it?"

The Marshall Daily Messenger of Marshall, Minnesota, is among the hundreds of newspapers throughout the land to jump its subscription rates from \$4.00 to \$6.00 a year and unless Bert Dane who operates a candy store, changes his mind, the Messenger is about to lose its only Sierra Madre subscriber. "The paper is worth \$6.00 a year," opines Dane, "and I'd continue the paper if I was back there, but I'm afraid I will have to give it up since Sierra Madre is now my hometown."

In announcing the raise in subscription rates the little Minne-

The WEEKLY
CONSTITUTIONAL

by MAX BERNES

Rules and Umpires

HOW may baseball be compared to our Constitution?

To provide for an orderly game, baseball rules are made and an umpire provided to see that the game is played according to the rules. The rules can be changed by the proper authorities, but not by the umpire or the players. And the umpire does not decide whether the pitching, hitting and fielding are good or bad. He simply decides whether a ball is foul or fair, whether a runner is safe or out. The rules, together with an umpire to interpret them, keep the game from being a "free-for-all."

In our government "we the people" make our Constitution the national rule book in which we state what our representatives—Congress and the President—may and may not do. We provide further that the Supreme Court shall be the chief umpire to see that our rules are obeyed. As in baseball, the rules—our Constitution—can be changed by the proper authority—namely, the people, but not by Congress, the Executive or the Courts. And the Court does not make



laws nor enforce them, nor decide whether they are good or bad. Like the baseball umpire the Supreme Court merely decides upon the rules as set down in our Constitution—in our rule book.

Without an established set of rules and without an umpire to see that these rules are obeyed, government, like baseball, would become a "free-for-all." (Next Week: "People Control Congress")

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Latest figures of the United States Census Bureau shows that there are 48,800,000 persons gainfully employed in the United States, of which about one-eighth are members of one union or another. By all figures available from existing unions, the current membership total is approximately 6,000,000. That is the largest union enrollment figure reported in the last 40 years.

Hospitals rank fifth among the large businesses of the United States. This major "industry" is estimated to have about four billion dollars invested in properties; an annual payroll of about four hundred million dollars and a yearly operating cost of about three-quarters of a billion dollars.

Over 14,000,000 American families own the homes in which they live; and there are more than 44,000,000 savings accounts and more than 121,000,000 insurance policies in effect.

Bountiful California this year is producing a table delicacies in bumper lots, and one would think that that should make everybody happy. Instead, it's giving some people a large-sized headache. Walnut growers, for example, are producing the greatest crop in history—and don't know exactly what they're going to do with it. The harvest in California, Oregon and Washington is expected to exceed the previous high by 11,900,000 pounds and even with the Board set by the Walnut Control Board there will be offered for sale some 13,500,000 pounds more than last year's consumption.

October 18 marked the beginning of the fifteenth year of work on the giant 392-mile Metropolitan Aqueduct. First surveys to determine a route were set under way in October, 1923. The surveys required seven years to complete, and 25,000 square miles of desert territory was surveyed and mapped. Actual construction work started in December, 1932, and the project is now approximately

sota paper stated that it was compelled to take such a course because of the boost in the price of newspaper and new taxes. The Messenger warned the merchants that if costs mounted any higher a new advertising rate must be expected.

Taxes and the materials, paper, ink, metal and labor that figure in publishing a newspaper are making it tough for the small town publishers to make ends meet these days.

TOWN PICKUPS

Yes I enjoyed my trip to Ensenada very much. Jim Heasley and Herbie Ingraham chaperoned me to the Mexican spa... The best thing I saw there was the American flag flown to the breeze on the Consulate grounds... Saturday, of course, is Halloween. Remember when you were a boy and made life miserable for somebody whom you did not like? One cute trick was to unhook a gate and hang it half way up a telephone pole. Haven't seen Commander Foster bump lately. Whose gonna win the annual Army-Navy game this year Foster? It is definitely settled that the U.S.C. Trojans will not represent the Pacific Coast in the Rose Bowl game on New Year's day. Joe Sadler, Emile Smith and Frank Spencer did a bit of golfing over the weekend and Joe again broke a hundred... which is a darn sight better than I can do on any course... And as the pretty waitress in an Ensenada cafe said to me "Adios" as she handed me a box of Voladores known in England as wax veta matches.

ALOHA NUI LOA.

70 per cent completed. It contains 108 miles of tunnels, 104 miles of which have already been excavated, and includes hundreds of miles of canals, conduits, telephone and pipe lines.

Senator Hiram Johnson has been stinging in his rebukes to our allies in the World War who defaulted and repudiated their obligations to this country. He now warns the nation of new alliances in the present European and Asiatic situations. He says: "We want no union with warring nations who will receive us with open arms and tell us what we must do to lead mankind and save the world!"

It is a college and anything but an industrial town, but Claremont has adopted an anti-picketing ordinance that will become effective about November 15. Held in abeyance until a similar law adopted by Beverly Hills had been approved by the courts, it imposes a fine of \$300 or a jail sentence of 90 days for picketing which is defined as an act designed to induce or influence any person from entering or working in a place of business. Loitering, displaying signs, or loud intimidating speech is prohibited.

San Francisco's superintendent of schools, Prof. J. P. Nourse is a middle of the road advocate. Discussing the position that educational institutions should take in the tug-of-war between the radical and conservative elements in this country, he said: "A midway path between extreme conservatism and extreme progressivism is the course for education most adaptable to the ideals and anticipations which face our youth."

Claremont and West Covina are the only cities in Southern California that derive no revenue from the sale of liquor. There are no licensed establishments in either place. There are only four other such communities in the State, Piedmont in Alameda county; Hercules in Contra Costa; Pacific Grove in Monterey and Kennett in Shasta counties.

We are recognized now as the cleanest nation on earth, as well as the most progressive and most envied, but the bath tub is only a trifle more than 100 years old. Just a hundred years ago there were only 1500 tubs in the U. S., all in Philadelphia. President Fillmore installed the first one in the White House in 1850. Possession of a bath tub in most countries is a sign not only of opulence, but of ostentation, and in this respect the average American home has 'something on' the rich and powerful of European nations.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans, whose birthdays are indicated.

Lillias Dowling	Oct. 31
Earl Topping	Oct. 31
Eugene Colbert	Oct. 31
Elsa E. D. Robertson	Nov. 1
Raymond Wheeler	Nov. 2
W. E. Deutsch	Nov. 2
David Lane	Nov. 3
Katheryne Norris	Nov. 4
Dan Parker	Nov. 4
Dr. Addie R. Pawson	Nov. 5
Victor Hill	Nov. 5
Mrs. Lucie Mather	Nov. 5
D. J. Millard	Nov. 6
Paul Lane	Nov. 6
Mrs. Edward Roach	Nov. 6
Lester H. Fennell	Nov. 6

Racing With Old Jupiter Pluvius

Many Residents Order New Roofs—Flock Of Remodeling Permits

Building has been brisk for the first three weeks of this month and so far Building Inspector Lees has issued more than twenty permits to citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kathe applied for a permit to build a \$3800 residence at 502 West Highland. Stanley Decker applied for a permit to erect a garage at his residence on East Montecito; Mrs. A. Lafer is constructing a sleeping porch as an addition to her residence at 45 Esperanza; Gavin Young, 185 East Santa Anita Court will remodel his garage; J. L. Lindre, 484 West Mariposa, will erect a two car garage; Enis Sanchez, 148 West Highland, is remodeling his home; Miss Marian Vannier, 153 South Hermosa, is remodeling her home; M. D. Welsch, 517 West Highland, is also remodeling as is Ada Thomas, 25 West Highland; S. W. Neville, 435 East Highland, is erecting a garage.

Preparing for expected rain soon, the following persons have applied for re-roofing permits: Grace Young, 431 Ramona; Ellen A. Daveness, 92 Grand View; Laura E. McDaniel, 187 North Adams; F. D. R. Moote, 689 West Sierra Madre Blvd.; Owner, 83 West Sierra Madre Blvd.; Charles Askew, 23 South Lima; residence at 425 Manzanita; J. A. McClellan, 59 North Sunnyside; Thomas Solury, 527 Manzanita; and Dr. E. Snyder, 137 West Montecito avenue.

Audubon Society Hears Urge To Plant Wild Flowers Now

The Pasadena Audubon Society held its bi-monthly bird walk on Wednesday, October 20th at the home of Karl Hart, Sierra Madre Villa Road.

Round Table discussion had to do with the planting of wild flowers, this time of year being held as the proper time to sow seed. Sketches and other interesting material relative to this subject were shown. Luncheon divided the hours.

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Sierra Madre Lands On Poetry Map

Only Fourteen California Communities, Homes Of Bards, Are Shown

Sierra Madre is on the map. The first poetry map of California, we mean.

Only 14 California towns are honored by inclusion on this first map of its kind, a map showing the location of California's chief contemporary poets and in decorative cartoon style picturing the state's foremost poetic landmarks. It has just been drawn by Roger Armstrong, Sierra Madrean, published by the Western Poetry League and printed by the press of the SIERRA MADRE NEWS. It is being widely acclaimed.

Two Sierra Madre poets are included among the 42 famous poets now living in the state, Lucia Trent and Ralph Cheyney. Three spots here of interest to poetry lovers are featured, Wistaria Vine Gardens with its annual Poets' Congress; Dreamers' House, the Cheyneys' home and hub of many of the state's and nation's poetic activities, and the lovely poetry garden of Mary Ward, where the Foothill Poets during the summer hold the poetry classes now being conducted at the park house each Thursday afternoon at 2. Last week nearly thirty poetry-lovers attended.

An exception to these free public meetings under the Pasadena Adult Education Department being on Thursday afternoons is the first Thursday in each month, when the class is held in private homes and is followed by a social gathering. The many Sierra Madreans and others who remember the July Foothill Poets' party at the beautiful home of Mrs. I. F. Petterson, 565 West Montecito, as one of the high spots of the summer social seasons are looking forward eagerly to gathering there again on Thursday, November fourth. The original drawing of the poetry map will be on display. Part of the program will be an address on Chinese poetry by Mr. Rumball, 153 North Lima.

Parke Wawter, celebrated Hollywood artist, has promised not only to be present but also to illustrate then and there one of the original poems brought to the party by its author. It is hoped that many art-lovers, whether or not they care for poetry, will be present to meet Mr. Wawter.

Three of California's youngest published poets come to the fore this week in California's youngest poetry magazine, "Nuggets," just published by its editor, Mrs. Nina Willis Walter, 709 North Monterey St., Alhambra. These three new teachers for laurel wreaths are the Cheyney twins, Trent and Ralph, who combine their eight-and-a-half year old talents in a quatrain, "The Big White Bird," which is given the position of honor, and Lucia Cheyney, a year older, who contributes "Raindrops." Besides, the three helped write, "How to Write a Poem," the feature article by Ralph Cheyney, Sr., who with Lucia Trent are this new magazine's associate editors.

"STELLA DALLAS," "HOT WATER" AT ARCADIA

"Stella Dallas," one of the biggest box office attractions of the year, with Barbara Stanwyck playing the title role, will open tonight at the Arcadia Theatre. The companion picture is "The Jones Family" with "Old Jed" Prouty in "Hot Water."

Commencing Sunday and running through Wednesday "Souls at Sea" with Frances Dee and Henry Wilcoxon is one of the features together with "Love Under Fire" showing Loretta Young and Don Ameche.

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What A Girl Sees Ramblin' 'Round

By Marjorie Hesse

WE ARE delicately suffused with pink, facially speaking for . . . we committed the crime of crimes in the journalistic world . . . we missed a deadline! . . . and we thank you for missing us! . . . We have promised not to commit such a lapse again—ever . . . There was a sweet little bouquet of boyhood awaiting us from George Kunihiko when we returned to the office after a news expedition . . . George grows beautiful flowers . . . and has a little shop on Poothill . . . We had just been "dressed down," as the phrase goes, by an irate woman and the little bouquet was compensation . . . Somehow the memory of a four-months' old baby sleeping peacefully in its pram with the odor of the funeral flowers of its mother pervading the room . . . stays with us . . . We met an interesting person recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Okamoto . . . Professor Toga, who is the highest exponent of jiu jitsu in Japan, and a Shinto priest as well . . . We were rather awed by his dignified and majestic appearance . . . He was wearing the beautiful Japanese native costume of stiff, heavy, dark silk, that rustled in the most delightful manner . . . and on his feet were the odd, but attractive, Japanese sandals with the separated great toe . . . He seems to possess imperturbable serenity . . . and we envied him for that . . . Mrs. Okamoto dressed in a charming, flowered kimono, looked like something from a fairy book of old Japan . . . She is so dainty and small . . . she makes us feel as lanky as a colt . . .

Wandering back stage at the PTA musical comedy we stumbled upon Jack Buchan and Philip Lentz . . . and the talk turned to dogs . . . but of course! our dog excels theirs in brilliance . . . Speaking of dogs, reminds me Art Johnson makes his "Toby" work for him and carry packages . . . We saw them going down Sierra Madre Blvd. with "Toby" trudging proudly along holding a paper package in his mouth . . . We wish our hound would do that, but he's too lazy! . . . Little Alberta Myers and a chum in her dad's office eating a pomegranate . . . When we commented on Henry Shippey's "Sam" in the PTA musical comedy . . . Father Lee drawled . . . "Well, that's the only time Henry ever really worked" . . . fathers are so unsatisfactory at times . . . Sylvia and Joe Quittner are having the grandest time with that cute house that is being . . . built is not the word—created is much better—on Ramona avenue . . . it has the quaintest air, and is chock-full of

YOUR HOME AND MINE

BY ANNE WILSON



Halloween is coming, and it is one of the most tempting seasons at which to entertain. So much can be done in the way of decoration with the use of its symbols.

Have you thought of a buffet supper? Because everything is done beforehand, it is one of the simplest ways to entertain, and the table can be cleverly appointed in the Halloween motif. Center it, for instance, with a pumpkin jack-o-lantern. Buy lengths of black and orange cotton cloth and tear it in squares for napkins. Use black candles in orange holders. But I would advise having light in some other part of the room. Nothing is so difficult for guests than to stumble around with plates of food in a dimly-lighted room.

For the menu, serve Italian spaghetti, individual orange jello moulded with sliced peaches, olives and hot rolls. Pumpkin pie for dessert, of course. Make the rolls yourself if you have time. Make the dough up ahead of time, keep it in your electric refrigerator and pop the rolls in the oven just before supper. For the spaghetti dish, give 'way to that creative urge. Make it one of those enticing "Who knows what's in it" dishes which are always delicious combinations of spaghetti, meat, mushrooms, corn, bell peppers, onions or whatever else you desire. It is nice to cook this in an electric casserole. An electric casserole is a plug-in appliance which cooks things in casserole fashion with superlative ease. It is used, too, for serving at the table.

antiques the results of 15 years in incessant swapping, trading and buying . . . and like all houses that are born of a dream, it is charm-laden . . .

We meet lots of interesting people and we think Lizzie Stoppel McElwain as interesting as any we've met . . . "Lizzie" was born in Russia and came to this country while very young . . . she speaks seven languages fluently . . . She has built up a business and educated two nice sons . . . one a cracker-jack advertising man . . . takes pride in being a good American citizen . . . If you heard a subdued, throbbing sound around town Monday we hope you weren't disturbed too much . . . it was the heads of the Ensenada weekend trippers . . . who called on a famed citizeness, of the Mexican town—one, Cecelia . . . And if we were not afraid of our life . . . we would tell all . . . but we wouldn't dare . . . for we are sure our battered bones would

decorate an early grave . . . Father Clarey standing precariously on one leg getting a shoe shine from an energetic lad with a bootblack kit who rubbed away for a glossy polish . . . Saw a funny sight . . . a big black police dog trotting sedately alongside his master and pushing a doll buggy . . . with his mouth . . . he parked it carefully outside a market and

lay down beside it, while his master went to select groceries . . . Now that is something for you to aim for Mr. Johnson! . . . If Mrs. Lee Shippey and Mrs. Perley Poore Sheehan lived next door, they could, if they wished, put all the neighbors on the pan an nobody would understand them—both talk French fluently . . . Was pleased to see

many of my old friends in church last Sunday.

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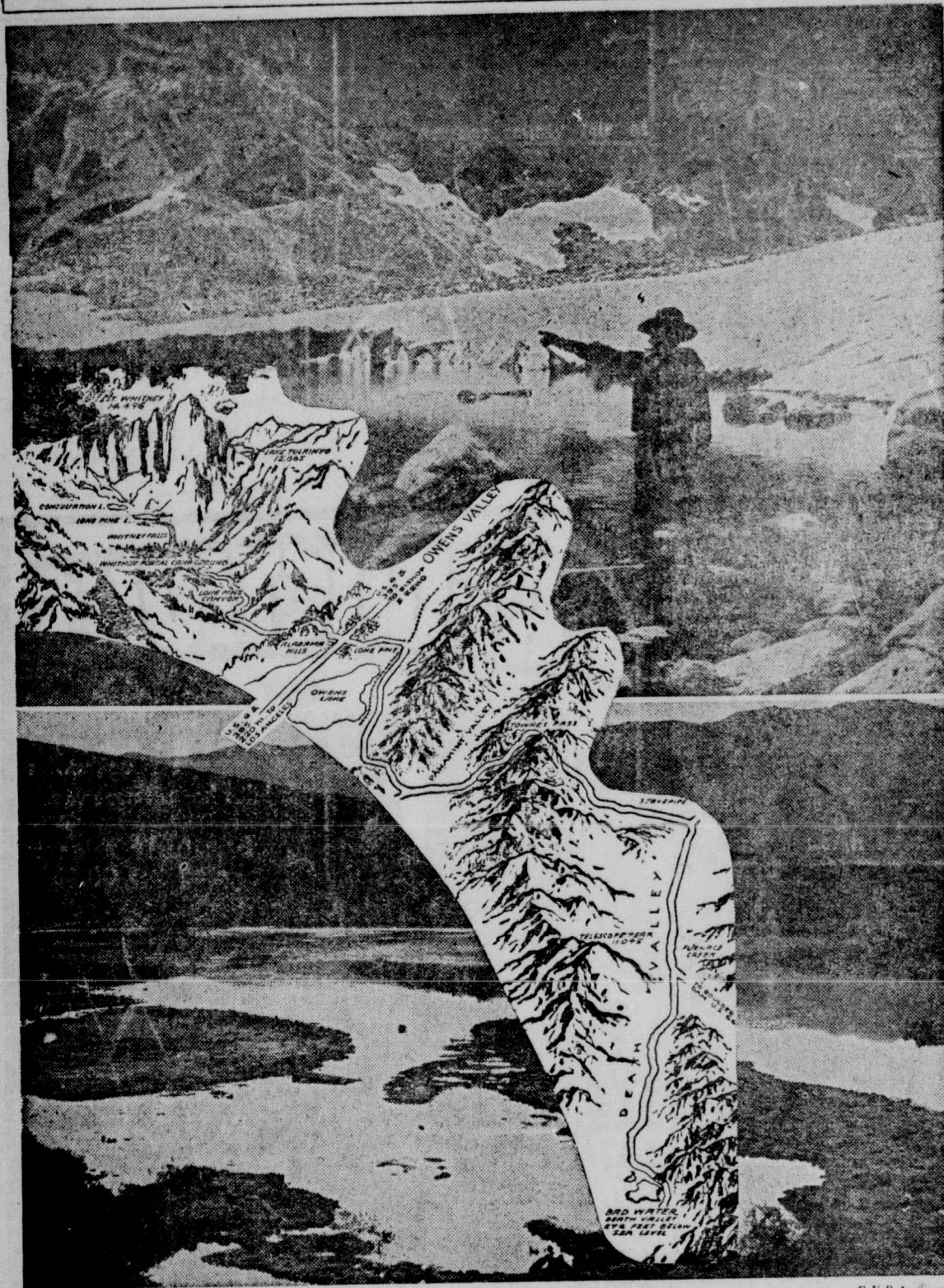
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SEVEN EVANS BOYS HAVE A REUNION

A reunion of seven brothers took place last Thursday when Dr. L. Evans of Bella Vue Terrace drove up to Berkeley to see the big football game and a brother who is ill at the family home at Carmel. A picture of the mother and her seven boys was taken. On Monday night, Lawrence, Joseph and Harold Evans, all of Utah, drove southward as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Evans for Tuesday morning breakfast. Blair Evans, of Pasadena, was of the group, too. They left later going home by way of Boulder Dam.

Snow In Mountains Drives Hawks Home From Gold Mine

These hot days it is difficult for residents here to think of snow in California, but that is what recently drove Mr. and Mrs. James N. Hawks, 80 East Grand View, down from their gold mine in the mountains above Truckee. The Hawks spent the summer at the mine. Mr. Hawks works the mine alone, and Mrs. Hawks keeps house, listens to the radio, knits and sews. They have only three neighbors in thirty miles, they said, and it is possible to hunt, hike, and fish an entire day without meeting a soul.

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Father Of Harold Carew Is Dead

Dr. Harry D. Carew, father of Harold D. Carew, literary editor of the Pasadena Star-News, died Sunday, October 16, at the Pasadena home of his son. Dr. Carew was 76 years old and for the past eight months had been residing with his son. He spent the winter in Sierra Madre two years ago and was greatly enthused over his first experience in Southern California. He was a resident of Leominster, Mass.

AT THE CHURCHES

Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 1100 N. Main St., Pasadena, Cal.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Sunday Services.

This verse from the Psalms, "Blessed is the man whom thou chastenest, O Lord, and teachest him out of thy law," is the Golden Text in the Lesson-Sermon on "Everlasting Punishment" on Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church.

8 p.m., Wednesday—Testimonial meeting.

Reading room open daily from 10 a.m.—3 p.m.; 22 North Baldwin.

Bethany Church

The Little Stone Church, Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Pastor

Sunday—

9:30 a.m.—Bible School.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon, "Evangelism."

6:30 p.m.—Two Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Meeting. Sermon, "Three Great Questions." Solo at both services by Miss Ethel Forbes Taylor, sister of the well-known Evangelist Charlie Taylor.

The Young People have charge of the meeting at the Pasadena Rescue Mission.

Tuesday—

10:30 a.m.—3 p.m.—Missionary Society. A splendid program has been arranged.

Wednesday—

7:30 p.m.—Business meeting.

Congregational

Rev. Arthur O. Fritchard, Pastor

Chas. W. Kinnear, Educational Director

"Power from On High" will be the topic of the Pastor's sermon at 11 o'clock.

Sunday School, all departments, at 9:30 a.m.

Young People at 6:30 p.m.—Raymond Simpson, president.

All day meeting of the Women's Society, Tuesday at 10; beginning at 2 p.m.

Fireside Club on Wednesday at



From Milwaukee, Wis., came R. S. White, father of Miss Edith Rankin of Cypress Court, last week in his spanking new golden-blossed 1938 car in which he traversed the southern route, via Arizona, etc., leaving snow behind.

Mrs. Otto Semke of 73 W. Grand View avenue has returned from a week's stay at Venice, with Mrs. M. Powell, owner of the Del Mar hotel in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott E. Haselton, the latter the daughter of Mrs. Claude E. Allen of 61 Bonita avenue, have returned from a month's sojourn to Hawaii, and are domiciled in Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster C. Bumpus of 121 S. Lima street, with Nancy Dee and Foster Jr., took one of their favorite motor jaunts on Sunday, going as far as Palm-dale.

Miss Marion Vannier of 153 S. Hermosa and Miss McDonald were houseguests on Wednesday and Thursday of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Wayland at their La Quinta home in the desert. Upon returning the Waylands will occupy their charming remodeled bungalow in Sierra Madre.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and Sam Graham drove to San Francisco for the convalescence of the Grand Lodge of Masons in San Francisco, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hawhurst are sojourning in Ensenada enjoying the "manana spirit" of Mexico.

Mrs. Charles E. Davis, wife of the publisher of the Monrovia News-Post, entertained 17 guests at dinner Thursday evening at the Wistaria Vine Gardens.

Dr. J. Earl and Mrs. Gosard will attend a meeting for the relief of Chinese war-sufferers in Los Angeles tonight, at which Dr. Mary Stone, prominent Chinese physician and the Chinese Consul will speak.

Miss Sue Probst, a founder member of the Business Women's Legislative Council of California, will assist in the presentation of the story of the Council, "Past Present and Future," when she appears before the club Saturday evening. Miss Ruby S. Cruickshank and May G. Schaefer are other Sierra Madrens prominently identified with the Council.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seely, formerly of 29 No. Lima street have moved to the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. S. M. Triplett of 255 N. Adams. Mrs. Triplett, who is one of Sierra Madre's well known citizens, has not been well for some time.

Mrs. Alice Hogan, worthy matron of the O.E.S. of Sierra Madre, and Mrs. Frances Brinn, associate matron, attended the four-day session of the Eastern

Star convention in Los Angeles last week. Mrs. Hogan was one of the fortunate "400" at the Wednesday-1937 banquet which feted Worthy Grand Matron Rita May Cooper of Sacramento of a family of '49'ers of that California city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones of 49 East Alegria avenue have returned after a visit of several days at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Hudson Proctor of Laguna Beach.

Mrs. R. H. Behrens of 737 West Alegria avenue was entertained at bridge by friends in Los Angeles on Tuesday.

The H. R. Coits of 270 Grove street have been entertaining Mrs.

Coit's aunt, Mrs. Cora Sanderson of Portland, Ore., for five weeks. Mrs. Sanderson, who has been here before, enjoyed viewing California scenes once more. She departed on Tuesday for her home.

Mr. A. F. Guignet of 155 North Baldwin avenue is convalescing from his recent operation.

Among those enthusiasts who witnessed S.C.'s trouncing at Berkeley last week were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Coumbe of 521 Alta Vista Drive, who flew up on Thursday and returned via plane on Sunday. It was a great game, Mrs. Coumbe said. The opinion was shown by R. C. Lewis who also saw the game.

NEWCOMERS TO BUILD CARTER AVENUE HOME

Mrs. Vera Gebbs, formerly of Los Angeles and Santa Ana, and now of 299½ West Grand View avenue, was a visitor at the home of Miss Rosalie Curtis of 56 West Mira Monte avenue on Tuesday. Mrs. Gebbs and her husband, having heard of the virtues of Sierra Madre, have come to reside and contemplate building on Carter and Auburn avenues in a few months.

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Junior Women Will Hold Dance At Installation

Plans are being made by the fledgling members of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club Juniors for a dance to be held November 27, at the Clubhouse, as an initiation measure.

At a meeting last night, committees were appointed and ideas discussed to make this a truly unique affair in the annals of the club.

Mrs. Erva Miller was chosen general chairman and appointed the following committees to assist her: Toots O'Donnell and Melba Seifert, music; Mary Valentine, Dorothy Tyree, and Agnes McLellan, decorations; Marjorie Hesse, Aileen Roberts, Lorraine Petzel, Natalie Gomes, Frances Lalone and Eunyce Albrecht, tickets.

BRIDGE TOURNAMENT HOLDS INTEREST OF WOMEN

The bridge tournament held each Thursday night at the Woman's Club is going merrily on and is proving an interesting test of skill, according to Mrs. John C. James, who has charge of the affair. Many attractive prizes are given each Thursday to the highest four scores, with a grand prize given every six weeks.



THE major subject gleaned from Wednesday's session of the Sierra Madre Woman's club were undoubtedly, the discussion of the Los Angeles County Federation's Regional meeting to be held at the clubhouse here, Monday, November 1 from 10 o'clock until afternoon, in the morning in the school auditorium with luncheon served at the club, and the afternoon round table held in the clubhouse. Also the urgent appeal to attend the Wistaria Gardens prize-winning plays produced last night and tonight at the clubhouse, together with a similar appeal to cooperate in the forthcoming Cascade Chrysanthemum show to be held at the Wistaria Vine Gardens, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 5, 6, and 7.

Mrs. Al Myers was in the chair

In the absence of Mrs. Edith Kenney, president, Mrs. J. H. Robertson gave a few words of explanation upon the method of division of the six federation regions emanating from the Los Angeles city hall and embracing the surrounding territory. She urged that a large audience be in attendance Monday to conform with the splendid reputation Sierra Madre bears in the Federation.

Mrs. W. J. Lawless was asked to mention the Chrysanthemum show and the club's relation to it as co-sponsor. Mrs. Hazel James Ferguson, chairman of the Woman's Club division requested, at luncheon, flowers, flowers and more flowers, saying, if you have none of your own, to endeavor to procure them from neighbors' yards, a variety and floral baskets being accepted as well as the first specified specimens for decoration of the school auditorium and clubhouse during the regional meeting.

Miss Lalla Fagg's pupil, Harry Isam, was then presented, giving four numbers in a masterly fashion for his tender years.

During the luncheon hour, Mrs. Edward A. Tufts presented her Book Review, discussing nine of the season's leading volumes, headed by Walter Lippman's "Good Society." Mrs. J. C. James called attention to the ambitious card party of November 1, at which she desires to have 50 tables, and, if you please, the names of the hostesses and guests for each table.

—Mildred C. Boime.

REST HOME PATIENT REPORTED MISSING

Police have been asked by David Brown, 30 Windsor Lane, to search for his friend Louis Janowski, patient at a rest home on Churchill Drive, sent there by the county. Janowski was last seen in Sierra Madre, October 9. He is suffering from a nervous breakdown.

The home management said Janowski was "probably" visiting relatives in Los Angeles.

POLITICS INTERFERRED WITH THE NAMING OF SOME OF THE CITY'S STREETS

Late Dr. W. J. Barlow Wanted Michillinda Called Mt. Wilson Boulevard

By Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard

(Editor's Note: This is the second and concluding chapter of Rev. A. O. Pritchard's story on the naming of early Sierra Madre's streets.)

A POTENT influence in giving unity to the names of Sierra Madre's streets was the coming of the Pacific Electric Railway. Before that day Sunnyside had two names, Lima was called Markham avenue north of the then Central avenue in honor of Governor Markham, while south of Central avenue it was called Prospect.

Hermosa avenue was called Wilton north of Central, and Hermosa, south.

The railroad company deposited freight at the various corners, and they had a switch at the corner of Markham. Owing to the confusion of designating corners, the railroad company decided to name the streets, and give them all the names of Spanish fruits. One of these was the Spanish for prunes. The people objected to the names, but they saw the reasonableness of having a single name both north and south. Accordingly, Sunnyside was adopted for that street. Hermosa took the name of Wilton on the north and retained it on the south. But it was not so easy with Markham. Being of a different political party, the owner abutting the south end of the street refused to allow the name of a Republican governor to be applied to his street. Being a strong Republican, the owner to the north refused to change, hence the Pacific Electric name of Lima was adopted by both sections, and we have this name to remind us of this historical incident.

"Happiness" Avenue

The land which comprises the northeast section of Sierra Madre was owned by a Mr. Richardson and by the Santa Fe Railroad. N. C. Carter bought this land from Richardson and incorporated it into his original piece. The northern line of the Santa Anita Rancho ran along what is now Grand View avenue to a point just west of the Catholic church, then it ran in a northwesterly direction towards Eaton's Canyon.

This section of Sierra Madre, north of Grand View, was laid out as the Monte Lado tract in 1903. The developers gave the name of Mira Monte to one street, but the street which we call Alegria was unnamed on their first map. The section of Alegria west of Baldwin appears under the name of Granite Heights. Arthur Carter says that Mr. Darling, who developed the Monte Lado Tract, named Alegria and Mira Monte, which in English mean "Happiness" and "Mountain View."

In 1887, Mr. Carter laid out his vineyard into lots. This was the tract north of Central beginning about opposite where Sierra Place comes into the present East Sierra Madre Blvd. The streets running to the north were named Mountain Trail, because it led to the trail, and I think it is one of the most satisfactory names we have; Canyon way so named because it led to the Canyon, and when the northern section is properly developed and the streets rightly paved we shall have direct access to the Canyon, which is very much needed.

Ornamented A Boulevard

The street to the west of the cemetery Mr. Carter called Coburn. It was an old family name, his own initial "C" standing for Coburn. I am pleased to see that the planning commission approved that name and from now on that it will be so designated. The names running east and west were taken over from the already existing streets.

In 1887 the Pixley Tract was developed. This lay south of Central along Mountain Trail. The cross streets running east and west were called Arlington and Lowell. Arlington was never opened. Lowell is little known among the people of Sierra Madre, but it will soon be opened through the Yerxa Tract to Baldwin. Later this tract was sold as a unit, and re-subdivided, the new owners giving the names of San Gabriel and Santa Anita to the two courts.

In passing, it might be well for us to think of some of the prominent streets outside of the city limits. Grand View and Central stopped at the city limits. The double drive was opened by E. J. Baldwin about the time Sierra Madre was started in 1882. He early planted the eucalyptus trees which are such an ornament to the boulevard. W. S. Andrews thought that Baldwin also planted the eucalyptus trees on Baldwin, but it is doubtful.

In The Boom Days

The matter of the Foothill boulevard extension is interesting. As I stated in the early part of this paper, the road from Pasadena led through the fields along what is now Orange Grove avenue to a point near our city limits, and then diagonally southeast toward Monrovia. When Arcadia was incorporated, the Foothill boulevard was put through on substantially its present lines, but the city of Arcadia did not wish to assume the responsibility of

this road and so in order to keep it a county road, a strip one fourth of a mile on each side of the boulevard was excluded from the city limits, and so remains to this day.

In the boom days of 1886 and 1887 many tracts were laid out and names given to streets which were never opened and dedicated. Thus Oak and Park were streets planned east of Sunnyside, north of Highland. Later this tract was sold to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawless as a unit and no streets were run. Concord was a street planned to go across the Yerxa property but never opened. In 1887 when the Pixley Tract was opened, Mountain Trail was planned to run south clear to Live Oak. The section below Lowell was not developed, but the city dedicated a strip 30 feet wide and today there is a right of way there. Sometime it will be put through as a street.

Michillinda A Mistake

Within the past few years the necessity of planning our cities and countries on a large scale has become evident. The automobile is requiring a system of boulevards which will go directly to various points and be clearly labeled so that once the driver starts on a road, he may have some idea of where he is going. Examples are the Foothill Boulevard along the bases of the Sierra Madre range; Valley Boulevard up the middle of the San Gabriel Valley; Huntington Boulevard through the famous Huntington property, and particularly to the Huntington Library, and naturally, therefore, there should be a Sierra Madre Boulevard.

But such improvements and necessities bring their corresponding drawbacks. Central avenue has gone, but when the change serves no useful purpose, why make it? Michillinda means nothing except that somewhere some immigrants from Michigan, Illinois and Indiana settled in a section of the valley and named their street with a barbarous title, in token of the fact. Why should this name be continued into a section where there is no connection with the original settlers, and where the name means nothing? Doctor Barlow wanted such a name as Mount Wilson Boulevard and certainly that would have dignity and meaning.

May it be in the future that we give consideration to the names that they may preserve historic significance, geographical meaning, and a respect for the English or Spanish language. (The End.)

Snappy New Cocktail Lounge Is Opened

A smart cocktail lounge was opened Tuesday night in the Arcade Coffee Shop, climaxing months of litigation between the management of the coffee shop and the Hotel Sierra Madre.

The lounge is decorated in red and black, has a beautiful inlaid walnut bar, red and green leather-topped chromium stools, and booths with all the gleaming crockery and glassware that make up the appurtenances of an up to date establishment, presided over by an expert mixologist, Fred Ford of Los Angeles, formerly of Detroit. His specialty is "Ladies Delight."

18 New Members Are Enrolled By Junior Woman's Club

More than thirty members of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club Juniors met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Robertson, former state chairman of the Junior group, and organizer of the Sierra Madre group, for a delightful breakfast to honor new and prospective

members, Sunday morning. Breakfast was prepared over the outdoor grill and served under bright umbrellas in the Robertson garden, by the older members.

After breakfast an informal meeting was held with Junior President Mary Schwartz reading the by-laws and the pledge. Nineteen new members were enrolled. Mrs. J. F. Brain, advisor, Mrs. H. H. Steinberger, past advisor, and Mrs. H. D. Robertson were among the guests.

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24-Year-Old Promise Kept At Funeral Of Mrs Mary Graham

A twenty-four year old promise was kept when Mrs. Mary Helen Graham, who passed away at her son's home, 24 South Baldwin after a year's illness, was interred in the grave of her husband in the Odd Fellows Cemetery at Los Angeles, Wednesday afternoon.

She had promised her husband on his deathbed that she would lie beside him, and at the time a special grave was prepared with a place for her.

Mrs. Graham was born in Oregon City, Ore., February 15, 1851, two years after her parents had crossed the plains in a covered wagon.

Residing in Sierra Madre for

the last five years she was an intermittent resident for the past 15 years. She resided at the family home, 588 Los Roca street until shortly before her death when she was moved to the home of her son, Edward H. Graham at 24 South Baldwin where she died.

Property for Los Roca street and the first lighting system were jointly donated by Mrs. Graham and her son-in-law, R. L. King.

Surviving her are two sons, Edward H. Graham and Robert S. Graham, and a daughter, Mrs. R. L. King, all of Sierra Madre.

House guests of Councilman John Froehlich are his sister, Mrs. Susie Ellwanger and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington Westerfield of Ridgefield Park. The Westerfields plan to make their home in Sierra Madre, over which they are greatly enthused.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Walter J. Ropp and Cornelia M. Ropp, husband and wife, as joint tenants heretofore executed and delivered a certain deed of trust, dated May 12, 1928, and recorded May 23, 1928 in Book 8540, Page 251 of official records in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, to Geo. B. Kalb and M. Langlie as Trustees, to secure the payment of a promissory note to Mutual Building and Loan Association of Monrovia, a corporation, and also all other indebtedness agreed by said Deed of Trust to be secured, and

WHEREAS, said Association has changed its name to Monrovia Mutual Building and Loan Association, a corporation, and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of said promissory note according to its terms, Monrovia Mutual Building and Loan Association, the owner and holder of said note and Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust, on July 3, 1937, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, a notice of breach and default and of its election to cause all the property under said Deed of Trust to be sold to satisfy the obligation thereunder, and

WHEREAS, more than three months have elapsed since recording of said notice of Breach and election to sell, and said Monrovia Mutual Building and Loan Association has demanded that the undersigned as Trustees sell the property included in said Deed of Trust pursuant to the terms thereof and the provisions of the law;

WHEREFORE, notice is hereby given pursuant to said demand and the terms of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned as Trustees thereunder will sell without warranty to the highest bidder for cash, on Tuesday the 16th day of November 1937, at 2 o'clock P.M. at the office of Joseph A. Allard, Jr., Room 313 First National Bank Building, corner of Second and Main Streets, Pomona, California, as an entirety, all property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California and described as follows:

Lot 6 of the F. E. Robinson Tract, as per map recorded in Book 10, Page 43 of Maps in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

EXCEPT the North Seventy-five feet thereof.

Terms of sale cash, United States Lawful Money, payable at time of sale.

Dated October 15, 1937. No. 580.

GEO. B. KALB, M. LANGLIE, As Trustees.

Pub. October 22, 23, November 5, 1937.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

No. TS-2042

On TUESDAY, the 23rd day of November, 1937, at 11:00 A.M.,

SECURITY-FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES, as Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of or Transfer in Trust executed by Edith H. Bartlett, a married woman, dated December 31, 1936, recorded January 22, 1937 in Book 14719, Page 181, of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, and securing, among other obligations, note for \$3500.00 dated December 31, 1936 in favor of Sierra Madre Savings Bank, a Corporation, will sell at public auction (PAYABLE IN LAWYER'S MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES AT TIME OF SALE), at the eastern entrance to the Hall of Justice, facing toward Spring Street, Los Angeles, California, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Transfer in the property situate in the City of Sierra Madre, in said County and State, described as:

Lot One (1) and part of Lot Two (2) of the F. E. Robinson Tract, in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 10, Page 43 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County, described as follows:

Beginning at the North East corner of said Lot One (1); thence southerly along the Easterly line of said Lots One (1) and Two (2), seventy-five and fifty-four hundred seventy-five feet, thence West along the North line of the property conveyed to John M. Lee by deed recorded in Book 2779, Page 6 of Deeds, one hundred fifty-seven and twenty-five hundredths (157.25) feet, more or less, to the West line of said Lot Two (2); thence Northerly seventy-five and seventeen hundredths (75.17) feet, more or less, to the North West corner of said Lot One (1); thence East one hundred sixty-one and eight tenths (161.8) feet to the point of beginning.

Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the entire principal sum of said note, to-wit, \$3500, with interest from March 1, 1937, at the rate of six per cent per annum, advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Transfer; fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of trusts created by said Deed of Transfer.

The beneficiary under said Deed of Transfer, by reason of a breach or default in the obligations secured thereby, heretofore executed and delivered to undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale and written notice of default and of election to cause the undersigned to sell said property to satisfy said obligations, and thereafter, on July 22, 1937, the undersigned caused said notice of default and of election to be recorded in Book 15161, Page 75, of Official Records in said recorder's office.

Dated October 26, 1937.

SECURITY-FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES, as said Trustee

By J. VEENHUYZEN, Vice President

By A. M. HADLEY, Assistant Secretary.

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Round The Town

O. P. Luse of Long Beach is spending several days this week at his cottage at 577 Woodland Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chamberlain and young son have returned to Sierra Madre Canyon after spending a year at Kansas City and are now residing at 607 Woodland Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ropp have rented one of the Mercereau apartments at 534 Brookside Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kaferstein have just returned to their home at 50 Esperanza avenue.

Mrs. Frances Nyberg left on Wednesday with her daughter Mary Jo, for Ely, Nev., to visit her brother, Creighton Phalon, and sister-in-law, for two or three weeks.

When Miss Jean Lewis steps off the train tonight it will be the first time her father, R. C. Lewis, has seen her in several months, for Jean has been touring Europe and the larger Eastern cities for some time. She will divide her time between Sierra Madre and the Lewis home in Long Beach for awhile.

Mrs. Henry Isaacs of 333 Sturtevant Drive with Dr. L. L. Krebs and Judge and Mrs. C. C. Montgomery of San Marino, composed a foursome that chose Idylwild as their destination for the weekend. Although guests at the Montgomery cabin, most of the mountain meals were prepared and eaten in the commodious trailer belonging to Mrs. Isaacs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harlow Mills (Elizabeth Morgridge) played before the Santa Monica Woman's Club on Tuesday night on a Rumanian program, both artists appearing in their gorgeous Rumanian costumes brought over by Mr. Mill's brother, Sheldon Mills, Vice-Consul to Bukarest, when he attended his brother's recent wedding.

Miss Vera Jones of 241 East Sierra Madre Blvd., left Saturday for a two weeks' visit with relative in Chicago, Ill. From there she will go to Detroit to purchase a new car.

Mrs. Walter Krebs and daughter Jean, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., have just dropped in for a few days' visit with Mrs. Henry Isaacs and Dr. L. L. Krebs at 333 Sturtevant Drive. After which they will take a house at Laguna Beach for the winter.

Two Sierra Madre girls, Norma Hogan and Jane Colbert, will appear in a Halloween play to be presented in the Willard Auditorium tonight by members of the Woodrow Wilson dramatics class. The play given is entitled "The Ghost Hunters."

Mrs. Florence Wicks is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Lyman of Hilo, Hawaii.

Mrs. J. H. Wright has moved to 265 East Sierra Madre Blvd. Mrs. Clara M. Duncan has moved to 37 Auburn avenue. Mrs. Marion Doulet has moved to 301 Sturtevant Drive, and the George Oelschlaeger and P. Walports are domiciled at 257 Santa Anita Court.

Food Sale Tomorrow By St. Rita Society

A food sale under the auspices of the Altar Society of St. Rita's Church will be held all day Saturday, October 30, at the Safeway Store on North Baldwin avenue.

The society announces that it has chosen the last Saturday of each month for these sales in order not to conflict with other activities in Sierra Madre.

SUNDAY MUSICALES TO START HERE

Sunday afternoon will usher in the first of a series of musicales to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Morgridge of West Orange Grove. The Tuesday Musical Trio will present a program featuring Miss Roberta Groninger, first violin; Miss Mary Novis, cello; Miss Moreland Kortcamp, piano, and John Harlow Mills, piano. The time is 8:15 p.m.

Bethany Society To Meet On Tuesday

A meeting of the Missionary Society of the Bethany Church will be held next Tuesday with Mrs. John Lowe, president emerita, opening the meeting. At 10:30 the business meeting will be held followed by Mr. A. E. Bishop's address at 11 a.m.

Luncheon will be served at 12 p.m. by Mrs. Frank Butler and Mr. J. Andrew Hall will lead the devotional. Rev. Samuel Passells of Vancouver, B.C., secretary of the Sudan Interior Missions, will be the afternoon speaker. Mrs. Robert Harkness will have charge of the music.

CITY BOOSTER HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

A delightful stag birthday party was given by Hoyt K. Pottenger Saturday evening at his Sierra Madre Canyon cabin "La Puerta Roja," one of the show places of the Canyon.

Mr. Pottenger has been one of the most consistent boosters of the climatic and other advantages of Sierra Madre and the Canyon area, and has been instrumental in the purchase of property by several of his friends, who are making their permanent homes there.

The Halloween motif was used in the artistic interior decorations, the long dining table being trimmed in orange and black and amber lights cast the glow of warmth and good-fellowship. The interesting exterior of "La Puerta Roja" was emphasized by flood lights.

NEW FIRESIDE CLUB ADOPTS A PROGRAM

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caskey and Mrs. Ford were host and hostess to forty members of the Fireside Club of the Congregational Church, in the Ladies Parlor, on Wednesday evening, October 20, at 8 o'clock. "The Key Teachings of Jesus" was chosen by the group as the topic of study to be led by Rev. A. O. Pritchard at the bi-monthly meetings. Games and refreshments were enjoyed at the close of the discussion. Host and hostesses for the next meeting, Wednesday evening November 3 at 8 p.m., will be Mr. and Mrs. Foster Rumpus and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pickett.

WILSON STUDENTS ON INTERESTING TRIP

About seventy 8-1 and 8-2 science students at Wilson Jr. High School will make an interesting trip tomorrow.

The boys and girls, who will be accompanied by Edwin C. Sanders and Stanley C. Pearson, science teachers, will meet at Wilson in the morning where buses will be waiting for them.

Their first stop will be at the chemiculture plot at 425 Cort Street, Los Angeles, then to the La Brea tar pits to see the place where so many millions of bones of prehistoric animals and birds have been found. From here, they plan to visit the museum at Exposition Park, where a lecture about the tar pits has been planned for the students. They will then be shown the reconstructed skeletons of the bones found in the pits.

LITTLE MISS PULLING CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Happy days were here again for little Miss Eileen Pulling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Pulling of East Laurel avenue, October 18 when she did the honors to a group of birthday guests on the occasion of her ninth birthday. Jolly games were participated in by the little ladies and a toothsome cake duly cut by the hostess. Among those present were Mary and Ann Irish, Nancy Lee Bumpus, and Barbara Saunders, besides the hostess.

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Bodes Charmed With Parisian Gaiety On Way To Italy

Some interesting commentaries on the Bode's European trip are contained in a letter from Burnaby Bode to Mrs. Sylvia Quittner, who had requested the Bodes to look up an uncle in Paris.

After describing the visit to Mrs. Quittner's uncle, who owns a large fur establishment, Miss Bode went on to say:

"We have been in Paris for six days now and leave tomorrow for Switzerland enroute to Rome, where we will meet my brother and his wife. I love Paris and wish we could stay here longer. It is such a happy city. Last night we got balcony seats at the Opera for the ballet. It was lovely. Such beautiful costumes and wonderful dancers. The premier danseur was a pupil of Nijinsky."

"We think of all in Sierra Madre often. How is the choir getting along? I'm sure with the Autumn you will all be very busy. I adore traveling—every day is so full and exciting. . . there will be lots to tell you when we get home."

MRS. SANDAGE ATTENDS BRILLIANT O.E.S. DINNER

Among the one hundred and thirty guests at a dinner in honor of Mrs. Jessie Galbraith Morris of Fresno, past Grand Worthy Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, and Wallace Rutherford of Napa, past Grand Worthy Patron in Los Angeles last Tuesday by the 1934 association of Past Worthy Matrons and Past Worthy Patrons, was Mrs. C. H. Sandage of 168 W. Highland avenue.

LOIS FONTAINE HAS PARTY ON HER NINTH BIRTHDAY

Lois Fontaine, all of nine years old on Monday, delightedly received her party guests at a sweet little afternoon party given by Mrs. E. B. Fontaine, 137 W. Montecito avenue. Fun reigned supreme, we are told, with the following little girls taking part: Donald and Sylvia Thayer, and Jeanette Carlson, and William and Robert Freeland besides the hostess.

CANADIANS TO MEET

The Canadian Club will hold its monthly meeting, Monday, November 1, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Edna Hogle, 128 East Palm street, Monrovia.

Mrs. H. S. Dowling, of Sierra Madre, this year's president, promises a noteworthy program presenting Miss Mabel Sandiland of Long Beach, whose subject will be a travelogue of her trip abroad the past year.

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Local Bowlers Pull Team Out Front

Fred Krinke and S. L. Schaeffer, Sierra Madre members of the "The Track" bowling team of the Pasadena Major Bowling league helped this week to place their team at the top of the ten club circuit.

Krinke ranks sixth in total pins and high average of the league while Schaeffer is further down the line. When "The Track" defeated the Roeths Tuesday it was the first time this season the lead changed hands, the Roeths having kept out front.

GOING TO BE A LOT OF FUN AT THIS GOBLIN PARTY

The little Miss Askews, Helen and Betty Jean, of 23 South Lima street, have asked twenty young guests to share the fun of a typical Halloween party tomorrow evening at their home.

If you hear a lot of merriment down that way, you will know someone ducked too far for apples, or that a ghost got in the way of another guest, who had just burned his finger trying to capture a marshmallow. At any rate, they are going to have a lot of fun.

COMPLAINANT DROPS POLICE CHARGE

Roy H. Pickett appeared before Judge Tom Neale in police court Monday afternoon, and asked that charges he preferred against Rex L. Smith be dropped. Pickett had signed a complaint against Smith Friday and Smith had been released under his own recognizance. Judge Neale granted Pickett's request.

FOOD SALE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30

Auspices St. Rita's Altar Society

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SIRLOIN STEAK Swift's Select Steer lb 35^c

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30-40 lge. Santa Clara PRUNES 3 lbs. 25^c

WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE pint 20^c quart 38^c

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Armour's 12 oz Corned BEEF, can 16^c

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Bartlett Fancy PEARS per lug 95^c

Ocean Spray, No. 2 can, Cranberry Sauce 12^c

C&H CANE SUGAR Cloth Bag 10 lbs. 53^c

Iris Shoe Peg No.2 CORN can 13^c

Thriftee SALAD DRESSING Pint 17^c Quart 27^c

De-Lite GRAHAM CRACKERS 1 lb. 10^c

Par-T-Pak Ass't SODA WATER, quart 6 glass size 10^c

S&F Fancy Cranberry Sauce, No. 2 can 15^c

Campbell (50oz. can) TOMATO JUICE 19^c